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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. One.

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Part B for April 1948.

SUBJECT

Proposed Visit of H.E. the Governor-General of India and Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore State during February 1948.

The proposed Visit was cancelled.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT TO MYSORE.

Letter No.P.H. 321/46-47, dated 18th January 1948 from the Private Secretary to His Highness regarding the proposed visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India and party to Mysore from 4th to 6th February 1948.

Submitted with (1) draft acknowledgment to the Private Secretary to His Highness, and (2) draft letter to the Inspector-General of Police - for approval.

Chief Secy) 20/1/48

20.1.48.

20/1/48

Issued.

No. 4424/C.B. dy 21.1.48 to the P.S. to H.H.

No. 4425/C.B. dy 21.1.48 to the I.G.P.

Submitted

Notes for orders are being prepared separately on the basis of the provisional programme and with reference to precedents.

Meanwhile, four draft letters forwarding a modified provisional programme to Heads of Departments concerned are put up herewith for approval.

22.1.48.

22/1/48

Chief Secy)

22/1/48

Issued.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

D.O. No.C.C.35-2/47-48, dated 22nd January 1948 from the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore asking for a copy of the letter received from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General regarding passes.

Submitted with a draft reply for approval.

Chief Secy) 23/1/48.

23.1.48
23/1/48

Issue at once —

23/1/48

Issued.

Letter No. P. H. 321/46-47 dy 23.1.48 from the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja forwarding an approved copy of the programme for necessary action.

Draft and fair of two letter arising are put up for approval.

Other drafts are being worked up.

Chief Secy) 24/1/48.

24.1.48
24/1/48

24/1/48

Issued.

Governor - General's visit.

Submitted

Five drafts put up for approval.

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25.1.48

WD
25/1/48

Issued

Submitted

Two more drafts and a brief resume of the action so far taken and one or two outstanding points for decision are put up herewith, as instructed.

[illegible] submitted

[illegible]
25.1.48

WD
26/1/48

Issued. WD.

Resubmitted.

[illegible]
26.1.48

Dewan) WD 26/1/48

(Perused by the Dewan)

WD 26/1

D.O. No.625, dated 22nd January 1948 from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General of India to the Dewan of Mysore.

Draft and fair of two letters submitted for approval.

Chief Secy) 26/1/48.

26.1.48

26/1/48

26/1/48

Issued.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

Copies of the provisional programme, as received from the Private Secretary to His Highness, have been communicated to the officers concerned for immediate needful action.

All letters received from the Private Secretary to His Highness in this connection have been duly acknowledged, and he has been kept informed where necessary by telephone and otherwise of the arrangements being made on the side of Government.

Police arrangements.- The I.G.P. has been asked to make these on the same scale as in previous Viceregal visits as the instructions received from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General are to that effect.

The I.G.P. has also been asked to fix up routes for the various events connected with Their Excellencies' Programme in consultation with the officers concerned.

Action has been taken to print and issue Passes as required for the various items of the Programme.

The I.G.P. is to provide the ambulance and the Fire Brigade at the Aerodrome for the occasion.

Military Arrangements.- The details regarding these, including the Guard of Honour at the Aerodrome, are being settled by the Chief Commandant in consultation with the Assistant Secretary on the Personal Staff of His Highness the Maharaja who has received instructions in the matter. The Chief Commandant will make a report to

Government of the final arrangements decided upon.

Civic Reception.- The proposal of the Mysore City Municipal Council to present a civic address to Their Excellencies has been worked up and submitted for orders separately.

No time for obtaining address from Municipal Council hence may be dropped. WG

Reception at the Aerodrome on the 4th February 1948.- The Executive, Engineer, Buildings Division, Mysore, has been asked to put up a pandal at the Aerodrome, as the Mysore City Municipal Council have expressed their inability to erect one as on the previous occasion.

The Government officers who are to be presented have been asked to be present by 2.15 p.m. that is, one hour in advance of the arrival of Their Excellencies, in accordance with precedent.

Drive round the town.- The route for the drive and other details have to be settled.

Visit to C.T.I. and the ~~Exhibition~~ Silk factory.- The Director of Industries and Commerce has been asked to make necessary arrangements.

Visit to Cheluvamba Hospital etc. The Chief Lady Medical Officer has been asked to make necessary arrangements and to accompany Her Excellency.

Visit to Seringapatam.- Dr. K.N.V. Sastry, Professor of History, has been asked to be in attendance to explain the historical points.

Visit to K.R. Sagar.- The Chief Engineer for Irrigation will be present

and will show Their Excellencies round.

Interviews.- No details have been fixed yet. If the Ministers are going to be present in Mysore for the purpose of interview with His Excellency, the question of their inclusion for presentation at the Aerodrome perhaps requires consideration. The Interviews will however take place on the day after His Excellency's arrival, namely, the 5th February 1948.

(The Ministers will be there.) Yes ✓ at Mysore.

ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY.-

Arrangements are being made to give breakfast to this party at the B. City Ry. Station on morning of the 2nd Feb. before they entrain for Mysore.

or the 3rd Feb. (alt.)

OFFICIAL PROGRAMME.- This will be issued in the form of a handy folder giving information regarding the composition of the Governor-General's party, the important items of the programme omitting references to lunch, dinner etc., the list of officers to be present etc. on the 28th or 29th instant by which time the programme is likely to be finalised.

Submitted, as instructed, for information.

25.1.48

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT TO MYSORE, FEB. 194

Action has already been taken to send copies of the Provisional Programme to the following officers concerned ~~in making the necessary arrangements according to it~~ for information and necessary action:

1. The Inspector-General of Police
2. The Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops
3. The Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings
4. The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
5. The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District
6. The Deputy Commissioner, Mandya District
7. The President, City Municipal Council, Mysore
8. The Director of Industries & Commer in Mysore
9. The Senior Surgeon in Mysore
10. The Chief Lady Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals, Bangalore
11. The Chief Electrical Engineer
12. The Superintendent, Government Gardens.

The following points arising in connection with the Visit are submitted for consideration [redacted]-

(1) Reception at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore on 4th February 1948.-

The provisional programme provides for the Dewan, the Chief Minister, the principal Sirdars and His Highness's Personal Staff to be present and to be introduced to Their Excellencies.

As certain Heads of Departments like the Inspector-General of Police, the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops, etc. and other officers like the President, City

Municipal Council, Mysore, the Deputy Commissioner & District Magistrate, Mysore, etc. are likely to be in Mysore City at the time on official duty and some of them possibly at the Aerodrome itself, it is for consideration whether any of them is to be included in the list of persons to be presented.

On the occasion of His Excellency Lord Wavell's visit to Mysore in February 1945, in addition to the Dewan and the principal Sirdars and His Highness's Personal Staff, the Chief Justice, the Ministers, the Vice/Chancellor, the President, Legislative Council, and the Chief Commandant were presented at the Mysore Aerodrome, while the Chief Secretary to Govt., the I.G.P. and the District Magistrate, Bangalore, were among those introduced to the Viceroy at the Yelahanka Aerodrome at Bangalore.

(2) Guard of Honour.- The unit providing the Guard of Honour is not mentioned in the provisional programme and this is to be settled.

On the occasion of Lord Wavell's visit in Feb. 1945, two Guards of Honour were provided, one by HHMOI and the other by the III Bn. M.I. at the Aerodrome.

3. Routes.- Routes have to be settled for the car procession from the Aerodrome to Lalitha Mahal on the 4th Feb. and for the other items in the programme.

A copy of the routes followed on the occasion of Lord Wavell's visit is flagged.

(4) Drive round the town.- The route for the drive and other details have to be settled.

(5) Visit to Seringapatam.- Officers to accompany to be settled, in particular, as to who should be asked to accompany for explaining the historical points.

On the occasion of Lord Wavell's visit, the late Dr. M.H. Krishna was asked to be in attendance and was provided with a seat in the escort car. Professor K.N.V. Sastry or the Asst. to the Director of Archaeology (Mr. Narasimhachar) are possible substitutes in place of the late Dr. Krishna.

Other points that suggest themselves for consideration with reference to arrangements made in connection with Lord Wavell's visit are noted below.-

(i) Erection of ornamental pavilion at the aerodrome and decorations en route by the Municipal Council. On the occasion of Lord Wavell's visit, a second pavilion was put up by the Municipal President opposite the Palace Gun Shed.

(ii) Fire Brigade and Ambulance Car at Aerodrome.

(iii) Press party ?

(iv) Declaration of holiday . Although this has been done on the occasion of some previous Viceregal visits, no holiday was declared on the occasion of Lord Wavell's visit.

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C/B

(v) Transport.- Arrangements will be made in accordance with requirements.

(vi) Police and Military arrangements and issue of Passes.-

The arrangements are similar to those which used to be made on the occasion of Viceregal visits previously, and the I.G.P. and the Chief Commandant have been requested to take necessary action.

The above rough notes are submitted for perusal in the first instance, and specific points requiring orders will be worked up and submitted as and when they arise.

Chief Secy) May 22/1/48

22.1.48.

Seen 22/1/48

(The P S M said he was sending a detailed note containing instructions (with H E's approval) re the Visit. This may be awaited.)

WCT 23/1/48.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

Routes.

Based on routes followed on the occasion of His Excellency Lord Wavell's Visit to Mysore in February 1945, suggestions for routes for the ensuing Visit of the Governor-General are put up herewith, as instructed.

After the routes are finalised and fixed up in consultation with the Inspector-General of Police, a copy of the note showing the routes may perhaps be sent to the Private Secretary to His Highness for obtaining final approval.

The note showing the places of interest visited at Seringaptam during Lord Wavell's visit is marked in the Narrative for perusal.

Submitted for orders.

Chief Secy) Mve 27/1/48.

Spd 27-1-48.

27-1-48 Mve 27/1/48

The IGP in fixing up the routes in Consultn with the Presd Cit, Md Cantt Mysore & the Dy Cmr Mysore. (I have spoken to him to mysore.) Please put up to me.

HT 28/1/48

D.O. letter No.P.C. 177/47-48, dated 24th January 1948 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mandya, stating that he will be present at Krishnaraj Sagar and that Police arrangements will be made on a reduced scale in connection with the Governor-General's visit to Seringapatam and Krishnaraj Sagar and requesting instructions as to whether (1) the Municipal Councillors and himself should greet Their Excellencies on arrival at Seringapatam, and (2) traffic has to be held up during the visit of Their Excellencies to Krishnaraj Sagar.

The printed Narrative dealing with the visit of Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Wavell to Seringapatam and Krishnaraj Sagar in February 1945 is marked for perusal.

M N T

It will be seen from it that the Deputy Commissioner, Mandya, was in attendance and accompanied the party in the Pilot Car. Perhaps the same arrangement would do this time also.

Yes NT

The Narrative does not contain any reference to the other two points on which the Deputy Commissioner has sought instructions, but it is possible that the proposals are based on precedents of which records are available in the Deputy Commissioner's office. In any case the proposals may perhaps be considered on their merits.

(Standard route for visit to Sparaw)

As regards Police arrangements on a reduced scale, it is for orders whether he may be informed that there should be no reduction in the scale as the rules for the protection of the person of His Excellency the Governor-General are the same as those that were current previously for ~~HHE~~ His Excellency the Viceroy.

Yes. NT

Submitted for orders.

(Chief Secy)

26/1/48

26.1.48.

26/1/48

NT

26/1/48

Governor-General's visit.

Submitted

Draft letter put up for approval

or other order.

(Please put up to me. When HE GG sees me.)

27.1.48.

26.1.48

Submitted

Revised draft put up, as instructed, for approval.

30.1.48.

30.1.48

Issued.

Governor-General's visit. 3029/CS

Telegram dated 1st February 1948 from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General regarding the cancellation of the Governor-General's visit.

Draft O.M. put up for approval.

It is for consideration whether the wording should be "cancelled" or "postponed".

Chief Secy) 3/2/48

Ld 3.2.48. Secy 3/2/48

WD 3/2/48 Secy

Sus. Issued OM-No. 5113-43/C.B. 188-47-2, dt 3.2.48

Letter dt 6.2.48 from the Asst. Private Secretary to His Highness forwarding copies of telegrams exchanges with the Military Secretary to the Governor-General regarding the retention of Inner Cordon Passes.

Submitted for perusal with a draft letter to the D. G. of Police for approval.

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Chief Secy) 9/2/48

Ld 9.2.48. Secy 9/2/48

WD 26/2 Secy 27/2/48

Sus. Issued No. 6331/CB. dt 28.2.48 To D. G. of Police.

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PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MINISTER
No. P 3256
Date 15/3/48

The Palace
Mysore, 10th March 1948.

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SUBJECT: GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT

Dear Sir,

I am desired to send herewith, for your kind information copy of a letter from His Excellency Lord Mountbatten informing His Highness that Their Excellencies would be able to come to Mysore and Bangalore during the last week of April 1948 and to add that a reply has been sent to His Excellency that the dates suggested are quite convenient to His Highness and that needful arrangements will be made at Bangalore also on the 27th & subsequent dates

Chief Secretary)
KCR
11/3

Yours Sincerely

CB
17/3

The Hon'ble
Mr. K. Chengalaraya Reddy, B.A., B.L.,
Chief Minister in Charge of the current
duties of the Dewan, Bangalore.

18/3/48
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For perusal with previous file.
18/3 hd

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Chief Secy)

WP 22/3/48

Government House,
New Delhi.

(My dear Maharaja Sahib,)

I have now been able to re-arrange my programme for the remaining period of my time in India, and my wife and I would be very glad if our postponed visit to you could take place from Wednesday, 21st April to Saturday, 24th, on which morning we are proposing to leave for Ooty.

I do hope these dates will be convenient to Your Highness, in which case, I will arrange for my staff again to take up the question of the detailed programme with your Dewan.

After our visit to Ooty, we would like to fly back via Coimbatore to Bangalore on Tuesday, 27th, where I should be grateful if we could be accommodated - myself for one night before flying on to Delhi, and my wife, who wishes to see the Disabled Soldiers' Home at Bangalore and the T.B.Sanatorium at Arogyavaram, for 2 nights.

With kindest regards,

(Yours very sincerely,)

Sd. Mountbatten of Burma.

His Highness Maharaja
Sir Sri Jaya Chamaraja Wadiyar Bahadur, BCB,GCSI,
Maharaja of Mysore, Mysore.

(Copy)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT TO MYSORE - FEBRUARY 1948.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Proposed visit was cancelled.

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(Drafted as since intimated.)

Alternative Programme for the 5th February

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Morning: After breakfast Their Excellencies and party accompanied by His Highness leave for Shikar camp.

Lunch and tea in Camp.

Return to Mysore

His Highness will say good-bye to Their Excellencies at Lalitha Mahal.

Quiet Dinner.

19/30.

X. TF New Delhi 18 ste Ufdest 16¾.

Sir Ramaswami Mudalian Dewan of Mysore Bg. 51-T grateful for your letter 331 of 16th Jany with provisional programme please connect with my telegram 30-T of 11th Jany to you saying their excellencies and party would like to motor to Coimbatore airfield via ootacamund on sixth feby grateful if this could be arranged party motoring with their (50) excellencies to coimbatore will be the members of family and personal staff mentioned in governor generals telegram 27T of Tenth Jany and in addition inspector weavers and three or four servants remainder consisting of mr Phillips (stenographer to governor general) mr Chatterjee (Tour superintendent) and dozen muslim servants (100) will fly to Coimbatore that morning in aircraft advance party of eighteen hindu employees including police chaprassis and servants will arrive mysore station 12-35 p. m. second feby one hundred fifty black passes and complete set of government house new delhi passes sent to private secretary to his highness on (150) 12th Jany —

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SECRET

Park House,

Mysore, 18th January 1948.

My dear Mr.Vedavyasacharya,

Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and party to Mysore.

I enclose for your information copy of D.O.letter No. 298, dated the 12th January received from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General on the above subject.

The set of sample passes referred to therein is sent herewith for being passed on to the Inspector General of Police. The 150 Inner Cordon passes are in the custody of the Assistant Private Secretary and will be handed over to the P.R.P. officer entrusted with the arrangements. The Inspector General of Police may be requested to instruct the concerned officer to proceed to Mysore at least three days before the visit and fill in these passes, as the Guest House staff will be too busy to appear before him afterwards.

A copy each of the Instructions regarding the issue of passes and of the Notes on Their Excellencies' Quick Tours are also enclosed.

Yours sincerely,

V.Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Secret/By Registered Post. EXPRESS DELIVERY GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

New Delhi.

D.O.No.298

12th January 1948.

Dear Sir,

Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to MYSORE - 4to 6 February, 1948.

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1. In connection with the above visit, I send herewith the following:-

(a) A complete set of samples of Government House, New Delhi, Passes (formerly described as "Viceregal Passes"), so that the local Police may recognise them.

(b) 150 black passes for issue to local people concerned, as required.

(c) Two copies of the Instructions regarding the issue of Government House, New Delhi, Passes on tours.

(d) Two copies of our Notes on Their Excellencies Quick Tours which may be of help to you in connection with Their Excellencies' programme in MYSORE.

Will you please acknowledge receipt of the above, and arrange for the return of the Sample and Black Passes on conclusion of Their Excellencies' visit.

2. The House Flag and the Flags flown on Their Excellencies' cars will be brought to Mysore by the Advance Train Party which will be arriving at the Mysore Station at 12-35 p.m. on the 2nd February 1948 by the 2 Dn Mail from Bangalore. Details as to the composition of this party, etc., will be communicated to you as soon as possible.

Yours faithfully,

Sd. D.H.Currie
Colonel,
Military Secretary to the
Governor General of India.

The Private Secretary to
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
The Palace, MYSORE.

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S E C R E T

OFFICE OF THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA.

M E M O R A N D U M

NEW DELHI

INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING THE ISSUE OF GOVERNMENT HOUSE PASSES ON TOURS

1. (a) RED PASS (INNER CORDON - PERMANENT).

(b) GREEN PASS(" " - TEMPORARY).

These passes are carried by members of the Governor-General's entourage who are required to enter the INNER CORDON of the Governor-General's residence.

2. BRASS PASS (OUTER CORDON - PERMANENT).

This is carried by members of the Governor-General's entourage who are restricted to the OUTER CORDON only. It is unlikely, however, that there will be any establishment on tours in possession of this pass.

3. BLACK PASS (INNER CORDON - TEMPORARY).

(a) This pass is only issued by the local Police authorities to local persons who will be required to pass into the INNER CORDON at the Governor-General's residence. No other type of inner cordon pass should be issued.

(b) A sufficient number of these passes are sent in advance by the Military Secretary to the Governor-General in anticipation of requirements. If this number is not sufficient, a further supply is sent on request.

(c) These passes should invariably be returned to the Military Secretary to the Governor-General on conclusion of the visit.

4. SAMPLE PASSES.

A sample each of 1(a), 1(b), 2 and 3 is sent in advance with the above passes, and should be returned with them.

5. OUTER CORDON passes for local people will be issued by the local Police authorities according to their own arrangements.

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Government House,
New Delhi,
18th November, 47.

Two drafts

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

D.O. 4425/CB F3 and 4 pages

20/21/1/48

(Dear Mr. Ranajodha Singh,)

PROPOSED VISIT OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE COUNTESS OF MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE - 4 TO 6 FEBRUARY, 1948.

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sent-in (Sealed Cover)

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As you will see from the Private Secretary's letter, 150 black passes for issue to local people concerned, as required, are with the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness.

A copy of the Provisional Programme drawn up for Their Excellencies' Visit is enclosed for information. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX XXXXXX~~ Details as to the composition of the party and other matters will be communicated to you in due course.

Meanwhile, I am to request you to put in hand at once the preliminary work for making the necessary Police arrangements in connection with the tour of Their Excellencies in the State on the usual scale.

The receipt of this letter and the samples of passes sent herewith may be -

Two drafts.

SECRET. D.O.4444/CB 20/21/1/48

(My dear Sir,)

Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess of Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4 to 6 February 1948.

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.P.H.321/46-47, dated 18th January 1948, and its enclosures, and to state that necessary instructions are being issued to the Inspector-General of Police in the matter.

Yours sincerely,)

20/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja
of Mysore.

(Sealed Cover)

20/1/48.

20.1.48

D.O. 4425 CR F.3 and H. Pass (Arabic Comm)

Secret & Immediate:

20th January 1948.

Subject:- Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess of Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4th to 6th February 1948.

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The receipt of this letter and the samples of passes sent herewith may be kindly acknowledged, and the action taken in the matter may be reported for the information of Government.

I am to add that the matter should receive your immediate

personal

personal attention.

C. M. H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.
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D.O.4442/CB

20th Jan. 8

Secret.

Subject:- Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess of Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4th to 6th February 1948.

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Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Secret.

OFFICE OF THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA.

Memorandum.

Instructions regarding the issue of Government House New Delhi Passes on Tours.

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Government House,
New Delhi,
18th November 1947.

"Copy."

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Secret.

OFFICE OF THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA.

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Instructions regarding the issue of Government House New Delhi Passes on Tours.

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1. (a) RED PASS (INNER CORDON - PERMANENT)

(b) GREEN PASS (" " " - Temporary)

These passes are carried by members of the Governor-General's entourage who are required to enter the INNER CORDON of the Governor-General's residence.

2. BRASS PASS (OUTER CORDON - PERMANENT).

This is carried by members of the Governor-General's entourage who are restricted to the OUTER CORDON Only. It is unlikely, however, that there will be any establishment on tours in possession of this pass.

3. BLACK PASS (INNER CORDON - TEMPORARY)

(a) This pass is only issued by the local Police authorities to local persons who will be required to pass into the INNER CORDON at the Governor-Gneral's residence. No other type of inner cordon pass should be issued.

(b) A sufficient number of these passes are sent in advance by the Military Secretary to the Governor-General in anticipation of requirements. If this number is not sufficient, a further supply is sent on request.

(c) These passes should invariably be returned to the Military Secretary to the Governor-General on conclusion of the visit.

4. SAMPLE PASSES.

A sample each of 1(a), 1(b), 2 and 3 is sent in advance with the above passes, and should be returned with them.

5. OUTER CORDON passes for local people will be issued by the local Police authorities according to their own arrangements.

Government House,
New Delhi,
18th November 1947.

"Copy."

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Secret

D.O. letter No. P.H.321/46-47 dated 18th January 1948 from the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore to the Chief Secretary to Government.

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Subject:- Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and party to Mysore.

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For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Provisional Programme for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and the Viscountess Mountbatten to Mysore in February 1948

Wednesday, 4th February.-

Afternoon (3.15 p.m.) : Arrival.

His Highness the Maharaja will receive Their Excellencies at the Aerodrome. The Dewan the Chief Minister, the principal Sirdars and His Highness's Personal Staff will be present. (Dress: Palace Dress).

Guard of Honour (Mysore Anthem)

Presentations.

Inspection of Guard of Honour

Their Excellencies accompanied by His Highness will motor to Lalitha Mahal.

His Highness will have tea with Their Excellencies.

Evening : The Dewan and the Chief Minister will take Their Excellencies for a drive round the town and up the Chamundi Hill. (The Palace will be illuminated)

Dinner

Thursday, 5th February.-

Morning : Visit the Silk Factory, The Chamarajendra Technical Institute and the Industries Exhibition accompanied by the Dewan and the Chief Minister. Proceed to Seringapatam and return for lunch.

L u n c h.

Afternoon : 3 P.M. Her Excellency will visit the local hospitals and Child Welfare Centres in company with the Chief Lady Medical Officer.

His Excellency will accord interviews to the Ministers and others.

5 P.M. Tea at the Palace.

5-30 P.M. His Highness will take Their Excellencies to Krishnarajasagar.

The Gardens will be illuminated.

Return to Mysore.

His Highness will say good-bye to Their Excellencies at Lalitha Mahal.

Quiet Dinner.

Friday. 6th February.- : Departure after breakfast.

8.0 a.m. The Dewan and the Chief Minister will see Their Excellencies off at the Aerodrome.

Salutes will be fired on arrival and at the departure of Their Excellencies.

Necessary police arrangements at all places will be made by the Chief Secretary under instructions from the Dewan.

SÉCRET.

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME FOR THE VISIT OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE COUNTESS MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE IN FEBRUARY 1948.

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Friday, 6th February 1948.-

8-00 a.m.	Departure for Coimbatore airfield via Ootacamund (by road)

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SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

(1) The Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops, Bangalore.

(2) The Chief Engineer for Roads & Buildings,
Bangalore.

(3) The Deputy Commissioner & District
Magistrate, Mysore.

(4) The Deputy Commissioner & District
Magistrate, Mandya.

(5) The President, City Municipal Cl. Mysore

Sir,

VISIT OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE COUNTESS MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE IN FEBRUARY 1948.

I am directed to forward herewith, for information and immediate needful action, a copy of the provisional programme for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged and the action taken reported to Government.

I have etc.

22/1/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

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SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

The Director of Industries & Commerce in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

VISIT OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE COUNTESS MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE IN FEBRUARY 1948.

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I have etc.

22/1/48

Chief Secretary to Govt.

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22.1.48.

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SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

(1) The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore

(2) The Chief Lady Medical Officer,
Women's Hospitals, Bangalore.

Sir/Madam,

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I have etc.

WP 22/1/48

Chief Secretary to Govt.

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HS36/CB 22/1/48

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation in Mysore,

Bangalore.

Sir,

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Chief Secretary to Government.

HS37-A/CB 22/1/48

Copy to:

(1) The Chief Electrical Engineer

(2) The Superintendent, Government Gardens.

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22.1.48.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No.

*Dated Bangalore, 22nd January 194*8.

FROM

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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22/1/48.

Chief Secretary to Government.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- V. Vedavyasacharya,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Memo No. Dated,

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the

22/1/48.

Chief Secretary to Government.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

22nd January 8

To

1). The Senior Surgeon in Mysore.)
) BANGALORE.
2). The Chief Lady Medical Officer,)
Women's Hospitals in Mysore,)

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The receipt of this letter may be acknowledged and the action taken reported to Government.

I have the honour to be,

Sir/Madam,

Your most obedient servant,

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Chief Secretary to Government.

D. O. No. C.G.35-2/47-48

BANGALORE

C. M. M. RANAJODHA SINGH, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

22nd January 48.

Secret & Immediate

Subject: Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess of Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4th to 6th February 1948.

Dear Sir,

I write to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O.No.4425/C.B.E3 and four sample passes.

2. A copy of D.O.letter No.298 dated the 12th January from the Military Secretary to the Governor General, may be kindly sent for reference. Except the Red Pass and the Brass Pass, the other two Passes do not answer the description detailed in the Memorandum of the Military Secretary to the Governor-General. A Brown Pass and a Blue Pass are received in place of a Black Pass and Green Pass.

Yours sincerely,

C. M. M. Ranajodha Singh

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

(Dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

With reference to your D.O. letter No.C.C.35-2/47-48, dated 22nd January 1948, I am desired to send herewith a copy of D.O. letter No.298, dated 12th January 1948 from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General as desired.

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The sample passes sent to you were those received from the Private Secretary to His Highness with his letter No.P.H.321/46-47, dated 18th January 1948, of which a copy has been sent to you.

The matter may be please cleared up by a reference to the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja if necessary as the Inner Cordon Passes are with him.

(Yours sincerely,)

23/1/48

The I.G.P. (by name)

23.1.48.

Secret.

D.O. letter No. 298 dated 12th January 1948 from the Military Secretary to the Governor General of India, Government House, New Delhi, to the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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Subject:- Proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4th to 6th February, 1948.

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In connection with the above visit, I send herewith the following:-

(a) A complete set of samples of Government House, New Delhi, Passes (formerly described as "Viceregal Passes"), so that the local Police may recognise them.

(b) 150 black passes for issue to local people concerned, as required.

(c) Two copies of the Instructions regarding the issue of Government House, New Delhi, Passes on Tours.

(d) Two copies of our Notes on Their Excellencies Quick Tours which may be of help to you in connection with Their Excellencies' programme in Mysore.

Will you please acknowledge receipt of the above, and arrange for the return of the Sample and Black Passes on conclusion of Their Excellencies' Visit.

2. The House Flag and the Flags flown on Their Excellencies' Cars will be brought to Mysore by the Advance Train Party which will be arriving at the Mysore Station at 12-35 p.m. on the 2nd February 1948 by the 2 Dn Mail from Bangalore. Details as to the composition of this party, etc., will be communicated to you as soon as possible.

"Copy."

Chief Secretary to Government.

Secret.

(My dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to state that a telegram has been received from the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor-General of India to say that no salutes need be fired on the occasion of the ensuing visit of His Excellency the Governor-General.

(Yours sincerely,)

WT
23/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
P.S. to H.H.

Sir.
Draft put up as instructed.
(Chief Secy) 22/1/48
22-1-48

(I understand that Dewan has sent a letter to P S M re. this. Please await receipt of Copy of the said letter.)

WT
23/1/48

22/1/48.
22-1-48.

D.O. 4645/CBE/1

Secret & Immediate.

23rd January 1948.

Governor-General's Visit.

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YS.
MVG
23/1/48

C/M.H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

D.O. 4650/CBFT

23rd January 8

I am desired to send herewith a copy of the Provisional Programme of the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore, and to request you kindly to have it set up in type and arrnage to send a proof immediately.

I am to add that the cover should be finally printed in the form of a ready folder, and the proof may be printed accordingly.

23/1/48

B. Krishnaswami Chetty, Esq., B.E.,
Superintendent, Government Printing,
Bangalore.

Subs: Draft and fair put up as per Chief Secy's instructions for appl.

Chief Secy 23/1/48

23.1.48.
23/1/48

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

SECRET AND IMMEDIATE.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE,

No. A1 | Misc | 47-48

Bangalore, dated ...23rd January.....194 8

From

The Director of Industries and Commerce
in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Reference: Your letter No.4540/C.B. dated the 22nd instant.

Arrangements in accordance with instructions given in your letter will be carried out. However, kindly inform me definitely the programme when this is finalised. In the meanwhile, I will take the date mentioned by you as the date indicated for the visit.

CHIEF SECRETARY
23 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

DIRECTOR.

BGAM:GMB:2)

No. 5477/E.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER
FOR IRRIGATION, BANGALORE.
23rd January 1948.

S E C R E T.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and The Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.4536/C.B. dated 22nd January 1948, in regard to the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and The Countess Mountbatten of Burma, to Krishnarajsagar, with His Highness. Needful arrangements will be made and I will be present at the time of the visit.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

kkm.

Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER
FOR ROADS AND BUILDINGS IN MYSORE,

~~D.O.~~ No. 731

Dated, Bangalore, 23/1 *1948*

Tc

The Chief Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, BANGALORE.

Sir,

Re: Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

I have the honour to acknowledged the receipt of your letter No.4532/C.B.47 dated 22nd January 1948 forwarding a copy of the Provisional Programme for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

2. Instructions have been issued to the Superintending Engineer, Mysore Circle to take immediate needful action in this connection.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
23 JAN 1948
GVT. OF MYSORE

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

R. Sampath Aiyangar 23/1/48

For Chief Engineer for Roads
and Buildings.

P.H. 321/46-47

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

THE PALACE,
MYSORE.
23rd January'48

CB.

My dear Mr.Vedavyasacharya,

I enclose herein copy of the programme of arrangements to be made for the visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948. It has been approved by His Highness. I shall be obliged if you will kindly take necessary action.

Yours sincerely,

V.Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE FOR THE VISIT OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE ~~VISCOUNTESS~~ MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE. 4th to 6th February 1948

WEDNESDAY
4th February

ARRIVAL AND RECEPTION:

At the Aerodrome a pandal will be put up by the ~~President, Mysore City Municipality as was done during Lord Wavell's visit.~~ Executive Engineer Bandobast Division, Mysore. On.

The building at the Aerodrome will be furnished for His Highness the Maharaja.

His Highness will receive Their Excellencies on arrival.

His Excellency will present his staff to His Highness.

His Highness will present the following Sirdars and Officers to His Excellency:-

The Dewan
The Chief Justice
The Chief Minister
Sirdar H.Muddaraj Urs
" D. Devaraj Urs
" D. Madan Gopal Raj Urs
" K.Narasaraj Urs
" K.Basaveraj Urs
The Vice Chancellor
The Chief Secretary to Government
The Huzur Secretary to His Highness
The Inspector General of Police
The Chief Commandant

(Dress Black long-coat, trousers, turban, valli and shoes)

The Dewan will make the presentations to Her Excellency

A Guard-of-Honour will be furnished by His Highness the Maharaja's Own Infantry with the band playing the first six bars of "God-Save-the-King".

After inspecting the Guard-of-Honour Their Excellencies will motor to Lalitha Mahal.

Car seating plan:

Pilot Car

First Car: His Excellency the Governor-General
His Highness the Maharaja
Military Secretary to His Excellency

Escort Car: Police

Second Car: Her Excellency the Viscountess Mountbatten
The Dewan of Mysore
A.D.C. to His Excellency

Spare Car

Third Car: Their Excellencies' daughters
A.D.C. to His Excellency

(as sent in hand by PSM over the telephone.) MP 24/1

Fourth Car: The Private Secretary to His Excellency
The Chief Minister of Mysore
A.D.C. to His Highness the Maharaja

(No precedence will be observed in respect of the other cars).

The Commissioner, City Municipal Council, will put up a pandal on the route [in the vicinity of the Gun-shed] where the President and the Municipal Councillors will offer flowers to Their Excellencies and to His Highness.

The Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja will await the arrival of Their Excellencies at the portico at Lalitha Mahal.

His Highness will join Their Excellencies at tea.

At 6 p.m. the Dewan and the Chief Minister will take Their Excellencies round the town and on to Chamundi Hill. The Palace will be illuminated.

8-30 p.m. Quiet Dinner. The Palace Orchestra will be in attendance.

THURSDAY
5th February

9-30 a.m. Their Excellencies accompanied by the Dewan and the Chief Minister will visit.-

The Silk Factory
Chamarajendra Technical Institute
Seringapatam

(Government will depute an officer to be in attendance to describe the historic spots at Seringapatam to Their Excellencies)

(Dr K N Y Sastry.)

1-15 p.m. Lunch at Lalitha Mahal.

3-30 p.m. Her Excellency will visit the Cheluvamba Maternity Hospital and Child Welfare Centre accompanied by the Chief Lady Medical Officer.

4-00 p.m. His Excellency will accord interviews.

5-15 p.m. Their Excellencies will have tea at the Palace.

Ater tea, Their Excellencies accompanied by His Highness will motor to Krishnarajsagar and return to Lalitha Mahal where His Highness will say good-bye to them.

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation and his staff will await their arrival at Krishnarajsagar. The gardens will be illuminated.

8-30 p.m. Quiet Dinner: The Palace Orchestra will be in attendance.

Friday
6th February

8-00 a.m. After breakfast Their Excellencies will leave by motor. The Dewan and the Chief Minister will be present at their departure.

Note.- The Inspector General of Police will attend to Security arrangements, laying down of routes, traffic control, provision of Pilot and Escort cars, etc.

An ambulance and a Fire Engine will be provided at the aerodrome.

The Official Programme for the visit will be issued by the Chief Secretary to Government who will also communicate with all officers, and other persons connected with the arrangements.

VVR/23-1-1948.

SECRET.

24th Jan. 8

D.O.NO-4673 /CB.

I am desired to acknowledge the rec
PH.321/46-47, dated 23rd January 1948, enclosing an approved copy of the programme of arrangements to be made for the visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948, and to state that necessary action is being taken accordingly.

I am to add that, as settled over the telephone, the Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Mysore, is being asked to put up the pandal at the Aerodrome, and that Dr. K.N.V. Sastry is being instructed to be in attendance to explain the historical points at Seringapatam.

24/1/48.

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Secret & Immediate.

24th Jan. 8

D.O. No. 4670/GB.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

In connection with the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948, I am desired to request you to make arrangements for putting up a pandal at the Mandakalli Aerodrome similar to the one erected there on the occasion of the visit of His Excellency Lord Wavell in February 1945, in consultation with the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness Maharaja. Their Excellencies will be arriving at the Aerodrome on the afternoon of the 4th February 1948.

The receipt of this letter may be acknowledged and the action taken reported to Government.

Yours.

WT
24/1

H.C.K. Bhatta, Esq., B.E.,
Executive Engineer,
Buildings Division,
Mysore.

Copy to 4671-2/Cb 24.1.48.

Asst. Private Secy. to H.H.

Chief Engineer for Roads & Buildings.

D. O. No. C.C.35-6/47-48 Encs.

C. M. H. RANAJODHA SINGH, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

BANGALORE
January 23, 48.

Most Secret & Immediate

SUBJECT: Visit of H.E. the Governor-General of India - February 1948.

Dear Sir,

I enclose herewith a draft memorandum regarding the issue of passes on the occasions of the visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India to Mysore in February 1948, for the information and approval of the Government and request that the Superintendent, Government Printing, may be kindly instructed to print and supply the several passes indicated in the Memorandum as well as copies of the memo of arrangements.

The number of copies of each kind of pass together with samples and the memo of arrangements will be sent to him separately.

Yours sincerely,

For Inspector-General of Police.

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Submitted
Draft and fair of letter to the Supdt. Govt. Printing put up for approval.
Chief Secy)

(100)

MOST SECRET

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 4655-67 | CB/88-47-1 General and Revenue Secretariat, Dated, Bangalore, the 24th January 1948.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

With a view to regulate the visit of persons including invitees, Officers and servants for functions at Mysore during the visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India, the following arrangements will be made:

1. **Red Emergent Duty Passes** will be issued to the staff working at the Signal Points in the Mandakalli Aerodrome at Mysore.

2. **Pink Emergent Duty Passes** for permission to enter the Outer Cordon at the Lalitha Mahal will be issued by the District Superintendent of Police, Mysore, and the District Superintendent of Police in charge of the Camp.

3. **Pink Vehicle Passes with Blue Diagonal Lines** will be issued to Invitees attending the Dinner at the Lalitha Mahal on the 4th February 1948.

4. **Red Vehicle Passes** will be issued to Invitees attending the TEA at the Palace on the 5th February 1948.

5. **Yellow Emergent Duty Passes with Red Diagonal Lines** will be issued by the District Superintendents of Police, Mysore and Mandya, for entry into any controlled area outside His Excellency's Camp.

6. **Yellow Emergent Duty Vehicle Passes with Red Diagonal Lines** will be issued by the District Superintendents of Police, Mysore and Mandya, ~~for entry into any controlled area outside His~~ to Officers proceeding on duty within the controlled area.

7. Any of the passes referred to in paragraphs 2 to 6 ~~(excepting those mentioned in 3 and 4)~~ may as laid down above, be issued by the Inspector-General of Police or the District Superintendents of Police, Mysore and Mandya as the case may be, on the authority of the permits issued by the following officers:

(1) The Chief Electrical Engineer,
(2) The Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings in Mysore.
(3) The Chief Engineer for Irrigation in Mysore

8. His Excellency's entourage will be provided with **Crimson** and **Green Book Passes** by the Police Officer accompanying His Excellency.

9. **Black Book Passes** received from the Indian Dominion Police Officer for the use of local servants and others required to enter

the Inner Cordon will be issued by the District Superintendent of Police in charge of the Lalitha Mahal.

8 ~~10~~. Palace and Government House Cars are exempted from carrying any passes. The cars of the following officers will have a **Special Pass** available for all occasions:

(1) Dewan
(2) Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja
(3) Chief Minister
(4) Ministers
(5) Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja
(6) Chief Commandant
(7) Inspector-General of Police
(8) Senior Dy. Inspector-General of Police
(9) Dy. Inspector-General of Police
(10) District Magistrates of Mysore and Mandya
(11) The Palace Officers for whom the Huzur Secretary recommends the issue of such passes.

9 Note.- ~~In the case of Invitees, the District Superintendent of Police, Mysore, will arrange for delivery of passes to them.~~

9 ~~11~~. All arrangements for checking passes under these rules will be under the control of the District Superintendents of Police, Mandya and Mysore Districts, who will advise the officers concerned of the arrangements made.

WP
24/1/46
Chief Secretary to Government.

To:---

The P.S. to H.H.
The Huzur Secy to H.H.
The D/S of Police in Mysore
The Chief Commandant, Mysore State Forces.

SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

24th Jan. 8

~~D.No~~
D.O. No. 4668 | CB. Enclose.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to forward herewith a copy of Official Memorandum No.4655-67/C.B.188-47, dated 24th January 1948 regarding the issue of Passes on the occasion of the visit of His Excellency the Governor-General of India to Mysore in February 1948, and to request that the several passes indicated in the Official Memorandum and the Memo of Arrangements may be printed at the Government Press and supplied to the Inspector-General of Police direct.

The number of Passes of each kind required and the samples together with a copy of the Memo of Arrangements will be intimated to you by the office of the Inspector-General of Police.

A proof or the Official Memorandum may be sent before printing final copies.

24/1

B. Krishnaswamy Chetty, Esq., B.E.,
Superintendent, Government Printing,
Bangalore.

Memo No 4669 | CB Enclose 24.1.48.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

No. 1-CC.14/47-48.
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OFFICE OF Headquarters, Mysore State Troops, Bangalore.

SECRET.

Date 23rd January 1948.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir

Subject: Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 48.

With reference to your Secret and Immediate letter No. 4531/CB E1 dated 22nd January 1948 on the above subject, I have the honour to enclose herein a copy of the military arrangements to be made. This has been based on the arrangements made in February 1945 for the Viceregal visit.

I request approval of Government for the above arrangements.

CHIEF SECRETARY 23 JAN 1948 GOVT. OF MYSORE

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Lt.Col.,
Ag. Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops.

(The PSM said that the Ch. Cmdt may contact Mr K N Rajasar & the Hujur Secy about the details of arrangts.)

Submitted

Telephone message given to Chief. Commandant as instructed.

The Chief. Commandant is meeting Mr R. Narasimha Iyengar at 8.30 am. tomorrow at the Bangalore Palace as arranged in accordance with orders; and will settle the details of the military arrangements and submit a formal report to Govt. in due course.

Yes
WD
24/1/48

24.1.48.

Military arrangements that will be made during the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.(Provisional)

Arrival. 3-15 P.M. 4th February 48.

Guard of honour:- (a) 100 rank and file of His Highness the Maharaja's Own Infantry with Band will form up to the south of the Pavilion of the Aerodrome and salute His Excellency on arrival, the Band playing the Mysore National Anthem.

(b) A second Guard of Honour of 100 rank and file of 3rd Bn. M.I. will be drawn up at the Aerodrome to the south of the road entrance, and will come to attention when His Excellency inspects the Guard of Honour mentioned in (a) above.

This Guard of Honour will salute His Excellency when his car passes to leave the Aerodrome.

2) Lining of route from Aerodrome to Lalitha Mahal.

The route from Aerodrome to Ookad will be lined by the Police.

All available troops of the Mysore State Troops in Mysore will line the route from Ookad to LalithaMahal Palace. Squares and approaches to the route will be guarded by the Mysore Horse.

3) Guards and Cordons:

(a) Main entrance Lalitha Mahal:- One Officer, 16 I.O.Rs, one bugler of 3.M.I.

Dress: Review Order Khaki.

(b) South Gate:- One N.C.O. and 3 men of 3rd Bn.M.I.

Dress: Review Order Khaki.

(c) Portico of Lalitha Mahal:- 2 dismounted sentries- Guard:- One Officer, one N.C.O. and 6 men,Mysore Horse.

Dress: Full Dress.

(d) Each face of LalithaMahal:- One sentry and 3 men each face (Review Order Khaki)

Guard:- One Officer, 2 N.C.Os and 9 men of 3 M.I.

Dress: Review Order Khaki.

The Officer Commanding, 3rd Bn. M.I. will be responsible for all sentries including those of Mysore Horse, mentioned in (c) above, and will liase with the District Superintendent of Police, Mysore.

(e) Dewan's Guard:- Usual Guard - Dress:Review Order Khaki.

P.T.O.

(f) ~~Kisnagal~~ Governor-General's Office-Lalitha Mahal:-

Guard: One N.C.O. and 3 men.

4 Bicycle and 6 other orderlies will be detailed for continuous duty under arrangements to be made by the Officer Commanding, 3rd Bn. M.

Lt.Col.,
Ag.Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops.

NVs.

P.H.321/46-47

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

Park House,

Mysore, 24th January 1948.

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

The advance train party of the Governor-General's entourage will be arriving at Bangalore on the morning of the 2nd February and will entrain for Mysore. I presume you are arranging breakfast for them at the Bangalore Railway Station. The composition of the party has not yet been announced but I shall inform you of this the moment I hear.

Yours sincerely,

CHIEF SECRETARY 25 JAN 1948 GOVT. OF MYSORE

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Submitted

Draft reply put up, as instructed, for approval.

25.1.48.

25/1/48

Issued.

SECRET.

25th Jan. 8

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

With reference to the issue of an Official Programme of Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948, I am desired to state that the Heads of Departments and other officers concerned have already been furnished with copies of the Programme for needful action, and that it is proposed to issue, nearer the date of the Visit, a handy folder giving the programme, the composition of the Governor-General's party, the list of officers to be present at the Aerodrome, the seating in cars from the Aerodrome and any other information considered necessary.

In this connection, I am to request you kindly to send me a list of the Governor-General's party coming by air and by train, the latter as soon as it is received by you.

I take this opportunity to enclose herewith copies of two telegrams dated the 11th and the 18th instant from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General to the Dewan in case they should not have already been sent to you.

25/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

TLEGRAM DATED 11TH JANUARY 1948 FROM THE MILITARY SECRETARY TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA TO THE DEWAN OF MYSORE.

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M S GOVGEN."

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SIR RAMASWAMI MUDALIAR DEWAN OF MYSORE BG.

- 51-T GRATEFUL FOR YOUR LETTER 331 OF 16TH JANUARY WITH PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME. PLEASE CONNECT WITH MY TELEGRAM 30-T of 11TH JANUARY TO YOU SAYING THEIR EXCELLENCIES AND PARTY WOULD LIKE TO MOTOR TO COIMBATORE AIRFIELD VIA OOTACAMUND ON SIXTH FEBRUARY. GRATEFUL IF THIS COULD BE ARRANGED PARTY MOTORING WITH THEIR (50) EXCELLENCIES TO COIMBATORE WILL BE THE MEMBERS OF FAMILY AND PERSONAL STAFF MENTIONED IN GOVERNOR GENERALS TELEGRAM 27 T OF TENTH JANUARY AND IN ADDITION INSPECTOR WREAVES AND THREE OR FOUR SERVANTS REMAINDER CONSISTING OF MR.PHILLIPS (STENOGRAPHER TO GOVERNOR GENERAL) MR.CHATTERJEE (TOUR SUPERINTENDENT) AND DOZEN MUSLIM SERVANTS (100) WILL FLY TOCOIMBATORE THAT MORNING IN AIRCRAFT ADVANCE PARTY OF EIGHTEEN HINDU EMPLOYEES INCLUDING POLICE CHAPRASSIS AND SERVANTS WILL ARRIVE MYSORE STATION 12-35 p.m. SECOND FEBRUARY ONE HUNDRED FIFTY BLACK PASSES AND COMPLETE SET OF GOVERNMENT HOUSE NEW DELHI PASSES SENT TO PRIVATE SECRETARY TO HIS HIGHNESS ON (150) 12TH JANUARY. MSGOVEN".

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25/1/48

The P.S. to H.H. (by name)

25.1.48

V. VEDAVYASACHARYA, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government.
O. No. 4691/ CR

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated, Bangalore, 25th January 1948.

SECRET.

My dear Sir,

Re: Governor-General's Visit.

With reference to your letter No.P.H.321/46-47 dated 24th January 1948, I am desired to state that arrangements will be made to provide breakfast at the Bangalore City Railway Station to the advance train party of the Governor-General's entourage on the morning of ~~the 28th~~ 2nd February 1948 before they entrain for Mysore.

Yours sincerely,

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4692/CR dt 28/1/48

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D.O. 4691/1CB
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L. O. 4685/CB

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Secret.

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MG 25/1/48

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SECRET.

D.O. 4681/CB

25th J[redacted]

25th January

(Dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

In connection with the above, I am desired to request you to take needful action as usual and on the lines adopted on previous occasions of a similar nature to make security arrangements, laying down of routes, traffic control, provision of Pilot and Escort Cars, etc. in consultation with the other officers concerned.

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C.M.H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
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Memo No. Dated.

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4684/CB (3) The Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Mysore.

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Chief Secretary to Government.

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25.1.48

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

His Highness will present the following Sirdars and Officers to His Excellency:-

The Dewan.

The Chief Justice.

The Chief Minister.

Sirdar H. Puddaraj Urs.

" D. Devaraj Urs.

" D. Kadanagopale Raj Urs.

" K. Narasaraj Urs.

" K. Basavaraj Urs.

The Vice-Chancellor.

The Chief Secretary to Government.

The Huzur Secretary to His Highness.

The Inspector General of Police.

The Chief Commandant.

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The Chief Secretary to Government.
The Huzur Secretary to His Highness.
The Inspector General of Police.
The Chief Commandant.

4677/CB
25/1/48

Secret.

(Dear Sir,)

I am desired to state that Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be visiting Seringapatam on the morning of Thursday, the 5th February 1948 and to request you to accompany the party for explaining the historical points to Their Excellencies.

I am to add that you will be provided with a seat in the Escort Car and that you may get into touch with the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja regarding the other details.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

(Yours sincerely,)

25/1/48

Dr. K.N.V. Sastry, M.A., Ph.D.,
Professor of History,
Maharaja's College,
Mysore.

Copy forwarded with compliments for information and necessary action in due course to;

4678/CB - (1) Assistant Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore
4679/CB - (2) Inspector-General of Police in Mysore
4680/CB - (3) Deputy Commissioner, Mandya.

25.1.48.

Two drafts

Secret.

(Dear Mr. Appadorai Mudaliar,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.Al./Misc./47-48, dated 23rd January 1948, I am desired to state that, in accordance with the programme now recevied from the Private Secretary to His Highness, Their Excellencies, accompanied by the Dewan and the Chief Minsiter will be visiting the Silk Factory and the Chamarajendra Technical Institute only at 9-30 a.m. on Thursday, the 5th February 1948, and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements accordingly.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

(Yours sincerely,)

26/1/48

The Dir. of I & C. (by name)

25-1-48.

Secret. & Immediate.

(Dear Dr. Albququerque,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

In continuation of this office letter No.4538/C.B., dated 22nd January 1948, I am desired to state that Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be visiting the Cheluvamba Maternity Hospital and the Child Welfare Centre at 3-30 p.m. on the 5th February 1948, and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements accordingly.

The name of the Child Welfare Centre selected for Her Excellency's visit may be kindly intimated immediately for inclusion in the printed programme.

The matter may be kindly treated as very urgent.

(Yours sincerely,)

26/1/48

Shastravaidyapravine
Dr. M.C. ~~XXXXX~~Albuquerque,
Chief Lady Medical Officer,
Women's Hospitals, ~~Bangalore~~.
Bangalore.

25.1.48.

MR. K. MOHAMED AHMED, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
MANDYA.

D. O. P. C. 177
4748

Dated 23rd January 1948.

Confidential:

Dear Sir,

Subject: Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

CB
WD 26/1

I am in receipt of your letter No.4534/ dated 22nd January 48 together with the copy of provisional programme for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948. ~~and~~ I shall take immediate needful action in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary
to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

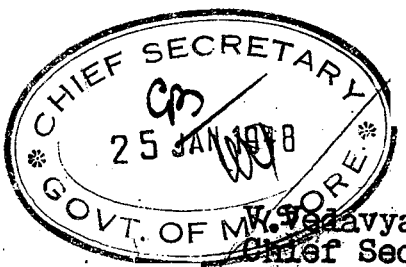
N. S. Hirannayya, M, A.,
PRESIDENT

City Municipal Council,
MYSORE

Date 22nd January '48.

Dear Sir,

I write to acknowledge the receipt of your confidential letter No.4535/CBE.1 dated 22nd January 1948 enclosing a Provisional Programme of the Visit of Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948. I am taking necessary action in the matter.



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His Highness The Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

C. F. No. 26] **GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE**

No. T.P.7/47-48. **OFFICE OF** the Deputy Commissioner,
Encls. Mysore District, Mysore,

Confidential

Date 23rd January 1948.

To

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 4533/C.B. dated 22nd January 1948 forwarding a copy of the programme of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma in February 1948. The District Superintendent of Police, Mysore, has been instructed to make the necessary Police arrangements and the local Revenue Officers have been requested to keep the roads to be used by Their Excellencies clear.

CHIEF SECRETARY
25 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

23/1/48

For Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

Deputy Commissioner
not in headquarters.

TELEGRAM.

New Delhi. State. 21st January 1948.

Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar
Dewan of Mysore
Bangalore.

67 - 1 His Excellency most appreciates the proposal to give him a salute of guns on arrival and departure but as this practice was discontinued during the war and is still in abeyance perhaps you would kindly omit this item from the programme AAA

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D.O.No.625

MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE VICEROY

Air Mail - Express Delivery.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
~~THE VICEROY'S HOUSE,~~
NEW DELHI.

22nd January, 1948.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

Dear Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar

C.P.

W.T. 26/1/48

Their Excellencies' forthcoming visit to Mysore - 4 to 6 February, 1948.

In connection with the above I write to give you information regarding the composition of the clerical and Class IV personnel (office peons, etc.) who will be coming to Mysore -

1. The Advance Train Party, consisting of the following, will arrive at Mysore Station at 12.36 p.m. on the 2nd February by the 2-Bn Mail:-

1. Jemadar Lachhi Ram.
2. Jemadar Tohfa Ram.
3. Jemadar Sukhnandan.
4. Transport Jemadar Bankoo.
5. Chobdar Malukchand.
6. Chaprassi Shama.
7. Chaprassi Kashi Ram.
8. Chaprassi Jawala.
9. Chaprassi Kushal Singh.
10. Chaprassi Devi Dutt.
11. Khalassi Ramditta.
12. Khalassi Jevnoo.
13. Head Constable Pearey Lal.
14. Foot Constable Shadi Ram.
15. Foot Constable Ram Sarup.
16. Foot Constable Sultan Singh.

All the above belong to North India, their staple food being chapattis with vegetables, etc. They are all vegetarians.

2. On the afternoon of the 4th February the following members of the Main Party of the Governor General will be arriving at MYSORE by air:-

1. Mr.A.E.Phillips, Principal Stenographer of the Governor-General.
2. Mr.V.Ramchandra, Tour Superintendent.
3. Inspector C.R. Wreaves.

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4. Wahid Beg, His Excellency's bearer.
5. Abdul Hamid, Her Excellency's bearer.
6. Abdul Gafoor, Bearer of Lord and Lady Brabourne.
7. Lilanand, Bearer of Lady Pamela Mountbatten.
8. Babulal, Bearer of Lt.-Colonel and Mrs.Phillips.
9. Mohd Buksh, Bearer of the Private Secretary.
10. Bundhu Khan, Bearer of the Military Secretary.
11. Chedi Khan, Bearer of Miss Ward.
12. Kadir Buksh, Khidmatgar (Table server).
13. Mohd Khan, "
14. Jumra, Pinman.
15. Nanney, "
16. Bearer of ADC 1.)
17. Bearer of ADC 2.)

Names will be communicated to you as soon as possible.

Mr.Phillips and Inspector Wreaves will take English food, and Mr.V.Ramchandra Indian vegetarian diet. The bearers, etc., from 4 to 17 are North Indians, and as the majority of them areMuslims, it will be all right if chapattis with meat, etc., are provided to them as food.

3. The Advance Train Party will leave MYSORE Station for Bangalore, en route to Ernakulam, at 3 p.m. on the 6th February by the 1 UPMail. The personnel detailed in para 2 above will leave Mysore Airfield

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for Coimbatore Airfield in the two Dakotas, with the baggage, etc., after Their Excellencies' departure by road to Ootacamund en route to Coimbatore Airfield for Trivandrum.

Yours sincerely
D.H. Currie

(D.H. Currie) Colonel,
Military Secretary to the Governor General of India.

Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar, KCIE,
Dewan of Mysore,
"Carlton House", Bangalore.

Recd a copy. to being forwarded
to the Supdt. K.P.
23/1/48

SECRET.

D.O. HQQ/CR. F.7

26th Jan. 8

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to forward herewith a copy of D.O. No.625, dated 22nd January 1948, received by Air Mail from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General, and six copies of the Administrative Memorandum issued by the Military Secretary.

A.S.

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26/1/48.

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysor

Secret.

26th Jan. 8

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to forward herewith, for information and needful action, a copy of the Administrative Memorandum issued by the Military Secretary to the Governor-General regarding the tour of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore, Travancore and Cochin.

Y.S.
WG
26/1/46

C.M.H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Office of the Military Secretary to the Governor General of India.

SECRET/No.140-TS/48.

Government House,
NEW DELHI, 20 January, '48.

TOUR OF THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA AND THE COUNTESS MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA TO MYSORE - TRAVANCORE - COCHIN - 4 to 12 FEBRUARY, 1948.

ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM.

I - GENERAL PROGRAMME -

		AIR PARTY -	TRAIN PARTY -
JANUARY 1948 -			
Friday 30	3.15 p.m.		First ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY for MYSORE-COCHIN leaves DELHI MAIN for MYSORE, with Transport Jemadar Bankoo, by the Grand Trunk Express.
FEBRUARY -			
Sunday 1	3.15 p.m.		Second ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY for TRAVANCORE, with Mr.S.S.Paul (Transport Superintendent), leaves DELHI MAIN for TRIVANDRUM by the Grand Trunk Express.
Monday 2	12.35 p.m.		First ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY arrives MYSORE STATION, and motors to LALITHA MAHAL.
Wednesday 4	7.40 a.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES leave NORTH COURT.	
	8 a.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES, with Lord and Lady Brabourne, Lt.-Col. and Mrs.Phillips, PSGG (or DPSGG), MSGG (or DMSGG), ADC 1, ADC 2, Miss Ward, Mr.Phillips and Inspector Wreaves, and Bearers Wahid Beg and Abdul Hamid (Total 16) leave PALAM in the Governor General's DAKOTA for MYSORE. (Food and Drink Hampers in Aircraft).	
Lady Pamela Mountbatten			
	8.5 a.m.	Mr.B.Chatterji (Tour Superintendent), with bearers of the Staff, Khidmatgars Kadir Buksh and Mohd Khan, and Pinmen Jumra and Nanney (Total 13) leaves PALAM for MYSORE by Dakota.	Luggage Baggage
	3.15 p.m.	The Governor General's DAKOTA arrives MYSORE Airfield - THEIR EXCELLENCIES and party motor to LALITHA MAHAL.	
	3.20 p.m.	BAGGAGE DAKOTA arrives MYSORE Airfield - Party motors to LALITHA MAHAL.	
	6.45 p.m.		Second ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY arrives TRIVANDRUM - Party motors to the Governor General's Residence.
Thursday 5	-	STAY IN MYSORE.	
Friday 6	8 a.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES and party motor to COIMBATORE Airfield (via Ootacamund) for TRIVANDRUM.	

(NOTE:- Mr.Phillips, Mr.B.Chatterji, the bearers (except Wahid Beg and Abdul Hamid), Khidmatgars Kadir Buksh and Mohd Khan, and Pinmen Jumra and Nanney with baggage leave MYSORE Airfield for COIMBATORE Airfield in the two DAKOTAS.)

	12.30 p.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES and party arrive OOTACAMUND - LUNCH.
	1.15 p.m.	Leave OOTACAMUND.
	4.15 p.m.	Arrive COIMBATORE Airfield - Leave for TRIVANDRUM (TE in AIRCRAFT).

I- GENERAL PROGRAMME --- (Contd).

FEBRUARY 1948 -

Friday 6	5.45 p.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES and party arrive TRIVANDRUM Airfield and motor to Their Excellencies' Residence.
		(Aircraft positions at COCHIN Airfield).
Friday 6	3 p.m.	First ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY leaves MYSORE Station for BANGALORE, en route to ERNAKULAM (COCHIN).
Saturday 7	4.15 p.m.	Above PARTY arrives COCHIN HARBOUR TERMINUS from MYSORE, and motors to Their Excellencies' Residence in ERNAKUBAM.
Sunday 8	9.30 a.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES and party leave TRIVANDRUM by motor for KOTTAYAM.
	12.30 p.m.	Arrive KOTTAYAM - LUNCH.
	2.15 p.m.	Leave " by motor for PEERMADE (48 miles).
	4.30 p.m.	Arrive PEERMADE GUEST HOUSE - TEA.
	5.15 p.m.	Leave PEERMADE GUEST HOUSE by motor for THEKKADY LANDING on PERIYAR LAKE (23 miles).
	6.20 p.m.	Arrive THEKKADY LANDING - Leave by launch for EDAPALAYAM GAME SANCTUARY (8 miles).
	7 p.m.	Arrive EDAPALAYAM GAME SANCTUARY.
Monday 9	STAY IN EDAPALAYAM.	
Monday 9	7.20 a.m.	Second ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY leaves TRIVANDRUM CENTRAL FOR NEW DELHI (via MADRAS) by the No. 6 TRIVANDRUM EXPRESS.
Thursday 12	11.10 a.m.	Above PARTY arrives NEW DELFI Station.
Tuesday 10	7 ~~8~~.30 a.m.	THEIR EXCELLENCIES leave EDAPALAYAM by launch for THEKKADY LANDING.
	~~8~~ 11 a.m.	Arrive THEKKADY LANDING - Motor to KOTTAYAM (72 miles).
	~~12~~.30 p.m.	Arrive KOTTAYAM - ~~LUNCH~~.
	~~1.30 p.m.~~	Leave KOTTAYAM by motor-launch for ERNAKULAM along the backwaters of TRAVANCORE - Lunch in Launch
	5.30 p.m.	Arrive at Their Excellencies' Residence in ERNAKULAM.
Wednesday 11	STAY IN ERNAKULAM.	
Thursday 12	9.15 a.m.	Leave COCHIN Airfield for DELHI (Food and Drink Hampers in aircraft).
	3.15 p.m.	Arrive BHOPAL Airfield - Refuel.
	4 p.m.	Leave BHOPAL Airfield.
	6.30 p.m.	Arrive PALAM - Motor to Govt House, NEW DELHI.

I - GENERAL PROGRAMME --- (Contd).

FEBRUARY 1948 -

Friday 13	9.35 a.m.	First ADVANCE TRAIN PARTY leaves COCHIN HARBOUR TERMINUS Station for NEW DELHI (via MADRAS).
Monday 16	11.10 a.m.	Above PARTY arrives NEW DELHI Station.

II - AIR PARTIES - Composition -

1st Aircraft (The Governor General's DAKOTA) -

(1) HIS EXCELLENCY.
(2) HER EXCELLENCY.
(3) Lord Brabourne.
(4) Lady Brabourne
(5) Lady Pamela Mountbatten.
(6) Lt.-Colonel H. Phillips.
(7) Mrs.Phillips.

(8) Captain R.V. Brockman, RN, Private Secretary to the Governor General (Or Commander G.H. Nicholls, RN, Dy PSGG).

(9) Colonel D.H. Currie, Military Secretary to the Governor General (Or Major M.J. Gilliat, MBE, Dy MSGG).
(10) Miss E. Ward, Private Secretary to Her Excellency.
(11) ADC 1.
(12) ADC 2.
(13) Mr.A.E.Phillips, Principal Stenographer to the Governor General.
(14) Inspector C.R. Wreaves, Govt House Police Guard.
(15) Wahid Beg, His Excellency's bearer.
(16) Abdul Hamid, Her Excellency's bearer.

Food & Drink Hampers, and 300-lbs of baggage on two front seats, and 100-lbs baggage in Tail.

2nd Aircraft (BAGGAGE DAKOTA) -

(1) Mr.B. Chatterji, Tour Superintendent.
(2) Abdul Gafoor, Bearer of Lord and Lady Brabourne.
(3) Lilanand, Bearer of Lady Pamela Mountbatten.
(4) Babulal, Bearer of Lt.-Colonel and Mrs. Phillips.
(5) Mohd Buksh, PSGG's bearer (or Akbar, DPSGG's bearer).
(6) Bundhu Khan, MSGG's bearer (or Hamid Beg, DMSGG's bearer).
(7) Bearer of ADC 1.
(8) Bearer of ADC 2.
(9) Chedi Khan, Bearer of Miss Ward.
(10) Kadir Buksh, His Excellency's Khidmatgar.
(11) Mohd Khan, Her Excellency's Khidmatgar.
(12) Jumra, His Excellency's Pinman.
(13) Nanney, Her Excellency's Pinman.

Also baggage of Personal Staff, of Mr. Chatterji, bearers, Khidmatgars and Pinmen (2,400-lbs).

III - TRAIN PARTIES - Composition -

(a) For MYSORE - COCHIN -

For His Excellency - Chobdar Maluk Chand.
Chaprassi Shama
Khalassi Ram Ditta.

For Her Excellency - * Jemadar Lachhi Ram.
* Chaprassi Kashi Ram.
Khalassi Jevnoo.

PSGO:- Jemadar Tohfa Ram.
Chaprassi Jawala.
Chaprassi Kushal Singh.

MSGO - Transport Jemadar Bankoo.
Jemadar Sukhnandan.
Chaprassi Devi Dutt.

POLICE - * H.C. Shadi Ram, Gunman.
* H.C. Ram Sarup.
* H.C. Sultan Singh.
* H.C. Pearey Lal.

(NOTE:- * These men, who have already been detailed for the MADRAS Tour of Their Excellencies (27 Jan - 30 Jan/1 Feb), will stay on in Government House, GUINDY after Their Excellencies have left for DELHI; and join the 1st ADVANCE MAIN PARTY for the MYSORE-COCHIN portion of Their Excellencies' tour, at MADRAS CENTRAL Station, at 6.55 p.m. on the 1st February, 1948.).

Programme of railway journeys :-

30 January	3.15 p.m.	Leave Delhi Main for Madras by the G.T.Express.
1 February	6.55 p.m.	Arrive Madras Central - Change Trains.
	8.40 p.m.	Leave " " for Bangalore by the Bangalore Mail.
2 "	7.35 a.m.	Arrive Bangalore City Station - Change Trains.
	8.15 a.m.	Leave " " for MYSORE by 2 Dn Mail.
	12.35 p.m.	Arrive MYSORE.
6 "	3 p.m.	Leave " for Bangalore by 1 Up Mail.
	7.40 p.m.	Arrive Bangalore City Station - Change Trains.
	8.50 p.m.	Leave " " for ERNAKULAM by 8 Bangalore Mail.
7 "	0.22 a.m.	Arrive Jalarpet Junction - Change Trains.
	0.35 a.m.	Leave " " by 13 Dn Mangalore Express.
	10.22 a.m.	Arrive Shoranur Junction - Change Trains.
	12.13 p.m.	Leave " " by 930 Passenger.
	4.15 p.m.	Arrive COCHIN HARBOUR TERMINUS.
13 "	9.35 a.m.	Leave " " " by 929 Passenger for Shoranur.
	1.53 p.m.	Arrive Shoranur - Change Trains.
	3.47 p.m.	Leave " for Madras by 14 Up Mangalore Express.
14 "	7.25 a.m.	Arrive Madras Central - Change Trains.
	8 a.m.	Leave " " by the G.T. Express.
16 "	11.10 a.m.	Arrive NEW DELHI.

No.P.H.321/46-47
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Park House,
Mysore, 26th January 1948.

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

With reference to your D.O. letter No.4676/C.B. dated the 25th January 1948, I enclose herein a copy of the telegram dated the 10th January 1948 from His Excellency the Governor-General, giving a list of the party accompanying him to Mysore.

I shall send you a list of the party coming by train, as soon as I receive one from the Military Secretary.

I note that you are sending me copies of the printed programme as soon as they are ready.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

TELEGRAM

NEW DELHI 10-1-1948 STE Recd.Mysore. 11-1-1948

HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE
MYSORE

27 T I THANK YOUR HIGHNESS FOR YOUR TELEGRAM OF THE EIGHTH . IF ACCEPTABLE TO YOU I SHOULD LIKE TO INCLUDE IN OUR PARTY MY TWO DAUGHTERS AND LORD BRABOURNE MY SON-IN-LAW COLONEL AND MRS PHILLIPS WHO ARE STAYING WITH US MY PRIVATE AND MILITARY SECRETARIES MY WIFE'S LADY SECRETARY AND TWO ADCs . THERE WILL ALSO BE A FEW CLERICAL AN ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL AND SOME SERVANTS. PERHAPS YOUR HIGHNESS WILL ALLOW YOUR STAFF TO COMMUNICATE WITH MY MILITARY SECRETARY REGARDING DETAILS OF THE VISIT TO WHICH WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD.

MOUNTBATTEN OF BURMA

copy

By Air Mail.
Secret.

No.D.643-G/48.

From

The Assistant Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of States.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated New Delhi, the 23rd January 1948.

Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and Lady Mountbatten to Mysore by Air in February 1948.

Sir,

With reference to the memorandum from the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor General, no.138-TS/48, dated the 12th January 1948, intimating to you the tour programme of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to ~~the~~ Mysore, I am directed to forward for necessary action fifteen copies of the list of red inner cordon passports the losses of which have been reported to the Government of India from time to time.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Assistant Secretary to the Government
of India.

JAIN.

Submitted with draft and fair letter to I.G.P. for approval.
Chief Secy)
26/1/48.

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Letter No.D.643-g/48 dated 23-1-1948 from the Ministry of States Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

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and one file of Lists?

26th January 8
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Confidential.

Subject:- Governor-General's Visit.

I am desired to forward herewith a copy of letter No. D.643-G/48 dated 23rd January 1948 received from the Government of India, Ministry of States, together with its enclosures in orgi 1, for information and favour of necessary action.

The receipt of the letter and its enclosures may be kindly acknowledged.

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26/1/48

C.M.H.Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

D.O.4429/CB

SECRET & IMMEDIATE. 26th January 1948.

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Subject:- Governor-General's Visit.

In continuation of this office letter No. 4538/C.B., dated 22nd January 1948, I am desired to state that Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be visiting the Cheluvamba Maternity Hospital and the Child Welfare Centre at 3-30 p.m. on the 5th February 1948, and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements accordingly.

The name of the Child Welfare Centre selected for Her Excellency's visit may be kindly intimated immediately for inclusion in the printed programme.

The matter may be kindly treated as very urgent.

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26/1/48

Sastravydyapraveene
Miss M.C.Albuquerque, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., & L.M.,
Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals in Mysore,
Bangalore.

D.O. HP 2P/48

SECRET. 26th January 1948.

Subject:- Governor-General's Visit.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.Al./Misc./47-48, dated 23rd January 1948, I am desired to state that, in accordance with the programme now received from the Private Secretary to His Highness, Their Excellencies, accompanied by the Dewan and the Chief Minister will be visiting the Silk Factory and the Chamarajendra Technical Institute only at 9-30 a.m. on Thursday the 5th February 1948, and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements accordingly.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

26/1/48

B. G. Appadorai Mudaliar, Esq., B.A., B.Sc.,
Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore.

Telephone
No. 662

MYSORE STATE TROOPS

HEADQUARTERS, MYSORE STATE TROOPS
HEBBAL POST

D. O. No. CC.14/47-48.

Bangalore, dated 26-1- *1948*

Lt.Col. P. Basavaraj Urs.,
Ag. Chief Commandant.

Dear Su

I write to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 4690/CB dated 25th January 1948.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
26 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
Mysore, Bangalore.

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SECRET.

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Encs. two.

27th January 1948.

(My dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to forward herewith, for perusal and favour of suggestions if any, two copies of the proof of the Programme proposed to be issued for official use as suggested.

(Yours Sincerely,)

MD
27/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja
of Mysore.

Submitted

Draft and fair put up for approval.

27.1.48.

MD
27/1/48

Air Mail - Express Delivery.

Governor General's Camp,

D.O.No.6-CTS/48. VICEROY'S CAMP. INDIA.

(Bhopal), 24 January, 1948.

My Dear Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar.

Their Excellencies' visit to Mysore - 4 to 6 Feb.

As you have already been informed, the Advance Train Party will arrive at Mysore Station at 12.35 p.m. on the 2nd February. This, however, is contingent on the party being able to catch the Bangalore Mail after their arrival at Madras Central from Delhi on the night of the 1st February, 1948.

As the Grand Trunk Express from Delhi invariably arrives Madras Central very much later than the scheduled time, I have, as a precautionary measure, arranged with the Railways concerned for alternative accommodation to be provided for the party on the night of the 2nd February and on the morning of the 3rd February, 1948, so that if the Advance Train Party misses the Bangalore Mail on the night of the 1st February, they will be able to catch this train on the night of the 2nd and so be in Mysore at 12.35 p.m. on the 3rd February, 1948.

I am sorry that I have had to make alternative arrangements for the party as above, but these - as you will appreciate - are necessary, and I hope your staff will not mind the inconvenience caused thereby.

Yours sincerely, M. J. Gilliat maj

(D.H.Currie) Colonel.

Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar, KCIE,
Dewan of Mysore, "Carlton House",
Bangalore.

Submitted with draft and fair letter to the P.S. to H.H. for approval.

(Chief Secy) 27/1/48.

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(Issued)

SECRET.

H.F 36/CB E 1

27th January 1948.

(My dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to forward herewith, for information and favour of needful action, a copy of D.O. letter No.6-CTS/48, dated 24th January 1948 from the Military Secretary to His Excellency the Governor-General regarding alternative arrangements for the Advance Train Party.

As already intimated, arrangements are being made to provide breakfast for the party at the Bangalore City Railway Station on the morning of the 2nd or 3rd February 1948 as the case may be. Arrangements will also be made to render any help required when the party passes through Bangalore again on the 6th February 1948.

(Yours sincerely,)

Sd. V. Vedavyasacharya.

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Memo No. HF37/CB E 1 Dated. 28/1/48

Copy, with a copy of the letter from the Military Secretary referred to above, forwarded for information and necessary action in due course to the Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat.

27/1/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

Air Mail - Express Delivery.

D.O.No.6-CTS/48. GOVERNOR GENERAL'S CAMP, (Bhopal), 24th January 48.

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Sd/- L.H. Currie Colonel.

Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar, KCIE.,
Dewan of Mysore, "CARLTON HOUSE",
Bangalore.

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For Chief Secretary to Government

C.R. Krishnaswamy Mudaliar, Esq., B.E.,
~~R. S. IYENGAR, Esq., B.Sc., B.E.~~
Executive Engineer
Mysore Division

MYSORE

Date. 26-1-48.

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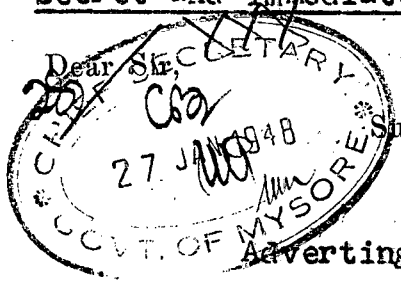
Secret and Immediate.



Dear Sir,

Subject:— Governor-General's Visit.

Adverting to your D.O. No.4670/C.B. dated 24th January 1948 to Mr. R.L. Raju, B.E., Executive Engineer, Buildings Division, Mysore regarding the above, I write to inform you that immediate action is being taken for putting up a pandal at the Mandakalli Aerodrome by this Division.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.E.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

S. Chandrasekhara Rao
Executive Engineer, 26/1/48.
Mysore Division, Mysore.

SECRET.

D.O. MF 39/CS

28th January 1948.

(Dear Sir,)

I am desired to state that Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be visiting the Vani Vilas Maternity and Child Welfare Centre on the afternoon of the 5th February 1948 at about 3-30 p.m. and to request you kindly to make necessary arrangements for showing Her Excellency round. Her Excellency will be accompanied by the Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals in Mysore.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

(Yours sincerely,)

V. Vedavyasacharya.

Rajasevaprasakta
Rao Bahadur M. Ramaswamy, Esq.,
Honorary Secretary,
Cunamba Maternity & Child Welfare Trust,
Mysore.

Memo No. MP 210/CS Dated. 28/1/48

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals in Mysore, Bangalore, for information. (This has reference to the telephone Conversation with Dr. Albuquerque this afternoon).

Chief Secretary to Government.

Submitted
Draft and fair 7 letter put up for approval.

28/1/48

28.1.48

NO. C.1218-1. OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER,

TO WOMEN'S HOSPITALS IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Dated, 27th January 1948.

Secret and URGENT.

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Subject: Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

In acknowledging receipt of your letter No.4539/C.B. dated 22nd January 1948, on the above subject, I have the honour to request you kindly to arrange to forward, for my information, a copy of the provisional programme drawn up for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER.

Submitted

Draft and fair 7 reply put up for approval.

28.1.48.

28/1/48

SECRET.

D.O. HAH2/CB F,

28th January 1948.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

With reference to your letter No.C.1218-1, dated 27th January 1948, I am desired to send herewith a copy of the proof of the provisional Programme of the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948 as requested.

As the Programme is to be printed immediately, I am to request you kindly to intimate at once the name of the Child Welfare Centre selected for Her Excellency's visit on the afternnon of the 5th February 1948.

Sastravaidyapravine
Dr. (Miss) M.C. Albuq uerque, L.R.C.P.,M.R.C.S., & L.M.,
Chief Lady Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals in Mysore,
Bangalore.

C. F. No. 46] **GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE**

No. Gc 269-2
Encls.

OFFICE OF The Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore.

SECRET AND IMMEDIATE.

Date 26.1.48

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

CHIEF SECRETARY 26 JAN 1948 GOVT. OF MYSORE

Sub.:- Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

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In acknowledging receipt of your letter No.4538/C.B. dated 22-1-1948 on the above subject, I have the honour to state that arrangements will be made for the visit of Her Excellency to the Krishnarajendra Hospital, Mysore on the 5th February 1948 at 3 P.M. A detailed programme will be submitted to Government shortly.

The Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals in Mysore and the Director of Tuberculosis in Mysore may kindly be addressed regarding the visits to the Cheluvamba Hospital and Child Welfare Centres and the Princess Krishnajammanni Sanatorium, Mysore.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Senior Surgeon

TVD.

SECRET.

D.O. HFH3/CB

28th January 1948.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

With reference to your letter No.Gl.269-2, dated 26th January 1948, I am desired to state that according to the revised programme Her Excellency will be visiting only the Chaluvamba Maternity Hospital and a Child Welfare Centre and that the Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals, has been written to in the matter.

28/1/48

Dr. V.V. Monteiro, M.B.B.S.,L.D.S. (Eng)
Senior Surgeon in Mysore,
Bangalore.

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

Adeeb-ul-Mulk
MR. M. SULTAN MOHIYUDDIN.
Vice-Chancellor.

MYSORE,
(camp) Bangalore
28th January 1948

SECRET

Dear Sir,

Referring to your D. O. letter No. 4688/CB of 25th January 1948 I write to inform you that I will be present at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore, on 4th February 1948 by 2-15 P.M., as desired.

Yours Sincerely,
M. S. Mohiyuddin

CHIEF SECRETARY
28 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

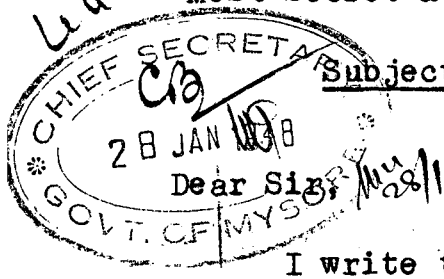
V. Vedavyas Acharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

CC.35-12/47-48

MR. U. K. SOMAPPA
Sr. DEPUTY INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE

BANGALORE

Date January 28,48.



Most Secret & Immediate.

Subject: Governor-General's Visit.

Dear Sir,

I write to acknowledge the receipt of the fifteen copies of the list of red inner cordon passports the losses of which have been reported to the Government of India from time to time, sent with your D.O.letter 4827/CB. dated 26-27th January 1948.

Yours sincerely,

L. K. Somappa

V.Vedavyasacharya,Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore,Bangalore.

MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

Sastravidyapraveene
MISS M. C. ALBUQUERQUE,
M.R.C.S., M.R.C.O.G. (ENG.)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER,
WOMEN'S HOSPITALS IN MYSORE,

D. O. No. C.1218-4.

Bangalore, dated .....28th..January 1948.

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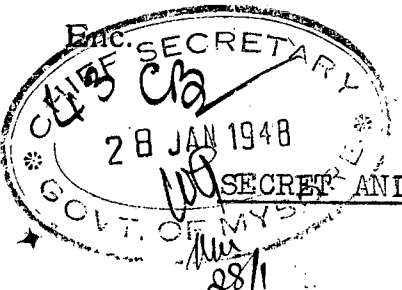

SECRET AND IMMEDIATE.

28/1

Dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

Subject: Gevernor-General's Visit.

With reference to your D.O. letter No.4829/C.B. dated 27th January 1948, I write to state that Sri Vani Vilas Centre is selected for Her Excellency's Visit.

This may kindly be included in the printed programme.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

Read -

Letter No.M.3.P.109/47-8 dated 24th January 1948 from the President, City Municipal Council, Mysore, stating that among others, the City Municipal Council has, at its meeting held on 23rd January 1948, resolved that an expenditure of Rs.3000 from out of municipal funds be incurred in connection with the proposed presentation of a Civic address to Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Mountbatten during their visit to Mysore City in February 1948 and requesting sanction thereto.

ORDER No. L.12920-1/ML 66-47-16

Dated, Bangalore, Jan. 1948.

Sanctioned, the expenditure in this behalf being met from out of the closing balance in the current year's budget of the Mysore City Municipality.

By Order,

Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

To

The President, City Municipal Council, Mysore,

The Comptroller to Government.

Copy to Confidential Branch

CONFIDENTIAL

28/1/48

D. O. No.

BANGALORE

C. M. H. RANAJODHA SINGH, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

25th JANUARY 48.

Dear Sir,

I write to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O. letter No. 4689 C.B. dated 25-1-48.

CHIEF SECRETARY
28 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore,
Bangalore.

UNIVERSITY OF MYSORE

K. N. VENKATASUBBA SASTRI
M.A., Ph.D(London), F.R.Hist.S.
Professor and Head of the Department of History in the University

MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE

Mysore 27th Jan't *1948.*

Dear Sir,

I acknowledge your D.O. 4677/C.B of the 25th instant with cordial thanks.

I shall follow your advice in the Second para.

I am,
Yours Sincerely
K.N.V. Sastri

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CHIEF SECRETARY
28 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

To
V. Vedavyasacharya Esq. B.A.
Chief Secretary to Govt of Mysore
Bangalore

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CB

R.L.Raju, Esq.,
Executive Engineer.

Buildings Division,
Mysore,
26th January 1948.

D.O.No. 78

Dear Sir,

In acknowledging your No.4670/C.B. dated 24th January 1948, regarding putting up a pendal at the Aerodrome, Mysore, I write to inform you that as the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, Mysore, is in charge of the Aerodrome, I have handed over your letter to him in person for doing the needful, after consulting the Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings in Mysore, Bangalore, who was camping in this place.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
CB
28 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

28/1

I have also forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, Mysore, your memo No.4682-4/C.B. dated 25th January 1948, forwarding copy of your letter No.4681/C.B. dated 25th January 1948 to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore, regarding " arrangements to be made for guarding the aircraft by which Their Excellencies arrive while it remains at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore, etc."

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

R.L.Raju
26/1

V.Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Secret.

23/1

D.O. 4647/CB.

(My dear Sir,)

Governor-General's Visit.

In continuation of my letter No. 4424/C.B. dated 21st January 1948, I am desired to state that the Special Police Officer for making arrangements at Lalitha Mahal will arrive in Mysore on the 1st February 1948 and to request that the Assistant Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja may be kindly asked to instruct the persons required for duty within the Inner Cord to meet the Officer on that date for receiving their passes.

As the Inspector-General of Police states that an additional 150 Black Passes are necessary, I am to request you kindly to send a telegram to the Military Secretary to the Governor-General asking for another 150 Black Passes being sent by Air Mail if necessary to reach Mysore by the 1st February 1948.

(Yours sincerely,)

MG 23/1/48

23/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
P.S. to H.H.

4648/CB.

Copy to the I.G.P. with reference to his D.O. No.C.C.35-4/47-48, dated 22nd Jan. 1948 for information.

MG 23/1/48

Chief Secretary to Govt.

23.1.48.

SECRET.

23rd Jan. 8

(My dear Sir,)

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

In continuation of my letter No.442/C.B. dated 21st January 1948, I am desired to state that the Special Poli Officer for making arrangements at Lalitha Mahal will arrive in Mysore on the 1st February 1948 and to request that the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja y be kindly asked to instruct the persons required for duty within the Inner Cordon to meet the Officer on that date for receiving their passes.

As the Inspector-General of Police states that an additional 150 Black Passes are necess ary, I am to request you kindly to send a telegram to the Military Secretary to the Governor-General asking for another 150 Black Passes being sent by Air Mail if necessary to reach Mysore by the 1st February 1948.

(Yours sincerely,)

Sd. V. Vedavyasacharya.

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Memo No. Dated.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Inspector-General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore, for information with reference to his D.O. No.C.C.35-4/47-48, dated 22nd January 1948.

23/1/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

D. O. No. C. C. 35-4/47-48

C. H. RANAJODHA SINGH, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

BANGALORE
22nd Janury 1948.

Most Secret & Immediate.

Subject: Visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess of Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore - 4th to 6th Febry.48.

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my D.O.letter No.CC.35-2-47-48 dated 22nd instant, I write to state that the ~~Franz~~ Police Officer entrusted with the arrangements at Lalitha Mahal will arrive in Mysore on 1st February 1948. The Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja may be kindly instructed to cause the persons posted for duty within the Inner Cordon being sent to him on the 1st February 1948 so that the Officer posted for Cordon Duty may fill in the passes and issue the same in time.

(a)

It is stated in D.O. letter No.P.H.321/46-47 dated 18th January 48 of the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore that 150 Inner Cordon Passes are in the custody of the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja. As ~~1500~~ 150 more Black Passes will be required, I request that the further supply of passes may be kindly obtained from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General early.

(b)

Yours sincerely,

V.Vedavyasacharya,Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore,Bangalore.

Submitted with a draft letter, as instructed, for approval.
(Chief Secy)
23/1/48

23.1.48.
23/1/48

23/1/48
Issued.

Secret. Fine draft.

(Dear Sir,)

I am desired to state that His Highness the Maharaja will receive Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma on their arrival by a special plane at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore, at 3-15 p.m. on Wednesday, the 4th February 1948, and to enclose herewith a list of Government Officers [and Sirdars] who will be presented ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ to Their Excellencies. I am to request you to be present at the Aerodrome by 2.15 p.m. on that day.

Palace dress will be worn. (Black long coat, trousers, turban, valli and black shoes)

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

(Yours sincerely,)

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25/1/48

K686/CB—En/ (1) The Chief Justice (by name)
87/ " " (2) The Chief Minister (")
88/ " " (3) The Vice-Chancellor(")
89/ " " (4) The I.G. of Police (")
90/ " " (5) The Chief Commandant (")

25.1.48

P.H. 321/46-47

Park House,

Mysore, 29th January 1948.

My dear Mr.Vedavyasacharya,

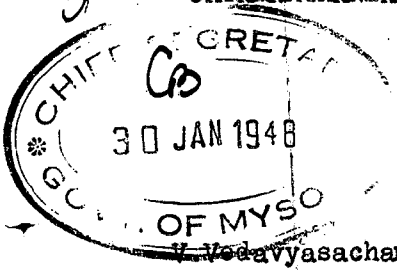
Governor-General's Visit

In continuation of my letter No.PH.321/46-47, of date, I am desired to state that the Dewan, the Chief Minister and the five marginally-noted Sirdars will only be present at Lalitha Mahal when His Highness will have tea with Their Excellencies on the 4th February evening.

1. Rajasabhabhushana Sirdar H.Muddaraj Urs, Secretary-in-Waiting to His Highness.
2. Sirdar D.Devaraj Urs, A.D.C. to His Highness
3. Sirdar D.Madan Gopal Raj Urs
4. Sirdar K.Basavaraj Urs
5. Rajasenabhushana Lt.-Colonel Sirdar A.V. Subramanyaraj Urs.

I am also to state that Their Excellencies will enter the Palace on the 5th February 1948 evening at 5-15 by the Main Gate i.e. 'JAYAMARTHANDA' Gate and not by the north gate.

Yours sincerely,



V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government.

(I Acknowledged Separately)
Draft and fair 2 letter to D.G.P. Subs. for appl.

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SECRET.

30th Jan. 8

D.O. 4967/CS

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

I am desired to state that Their Excellencies will enter the Palace on the 5th February 1948 at 5-15 P.M. by the Main Gate i.e. 'JAYAMARTHANDA' Gate and not by the North Gate, and to request you to make the necessary arrangements accordingly.

Yours
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C.M.H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

P.H. 321/46.47

Park House,
Mysore,
29th January 1948.

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

With reference to para 2 of your letter No. 4247/CB., dated the 23rd instant, I write to say that an additional 150 Inner Cordon passes have been received this day from the Military Secretary to H.E. the Governor-General and that they are sent to the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja for being handed over along with the other 150 passes in his custody to the P.R.P. Officer entrusted with the arrangements.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
CB
30 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

(Acknowledged Separately).

Draft and forward letter to I.G.P. put up separately for approval.

30/1-48.

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SECRET.

30th Jan. 8

O.O. 4968/CB Kg

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

In continuation of this office Memo No.4648/C.B., dated 23rd January 1948, I am desired to forward herewith, for information, a copy of letter No.PH.321/46-47, dated 29th January 1948 from the Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja regarding the additional 150 Inner Cordon Passes asked for by you.

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WT
30/1/48

C.M.H. Ranajodha Singh, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

SECRET
P.H.321/46-47

Park House,
Mysore, 29th January 1948.

SUBJECT: GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

I am desired to return herewith, after correction, the proof of the Programme proposed to be issued for official use, received with your letter D.O.No.4835/C.B. dated the 27th January 1948.

Annexure "A" gives the names of the Government Officers to be presented by His Highness at the Aerodrome.

Annexure "B" contains the names of the Sirdars to be presented by His Highness at Lalitha Mahal.

Annexure "C" refers to the seating arrangements in the cars.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

CHIEF SECRETARY
CO
30 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Subs. Draft reply covering this and two other letters received today put up for approval.

30-1-48.

30/1/48

Proof

PROVISIONAL *SECRET*

PROGRAMME

OF

The Visit of Their Excellencies The Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore

IN

February 1948

LIST OF PARTY

1. His Excellency the Governor-General of India.
2. Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma.
3. Lord Brabourne.
4. Lady Brabourne.
5. Lady Pamela Mountbatten.
6. Lieut.-Colonel H. Phillips.
7. Mrs. Phillips.
8. Private Secretary (or Deputy Private Secretary) to His Excellency.
9. Military Secretary (or Deputy Military Secretary) to His Excellency.
10. A. D. C. to His Excellency.
11. A. D. C. to His Excellency.
12. Miss E. Ward, Private Secretary to Her Excellency.

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME.

Wednesday, 4th February 1948.

3-15 p.m. Arrival at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore.

His Highness the Maharaja will receive Their Excellencies at the Aerodrome.

Presentations.

Inspection of Guard of Honour.

Their Excellencies accompanied by His Highness will motor to Lalitha Mahal.

6-0 p.m. Drive round the Town and up the Chamundi Hill.

Thursday, 5th February 1948.

9-30 a.m. Visit the Silk Factory, and the Chamarajendra Technical Institute.

Proceed to Seringapatam and return for lunch.

3-30 p.m. Her Excellency will visit the Cheluvamba Maternity Hospital and Child Welfare Centre.

4-0 p.m. Interviews.

15 **5-0 p.m.** Tea at the Palace.

5-30 p.m. His Highness will take Their Excellencies to Krishnaraj Sagar.

Return to Mysore.

Friday, 6th February 1948.

8-0 a.m. Departure for Coimbatore Airfield *via* Ootacamund (*by road*).

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Rajasabhabushana _____

Rajasenabushana Lt.-Colonel
Sirdar A.V.Subramanyaraj Urs _____

Colonel M. Gopalakrishne Urs _____

Mr. G.N.Nagaraja Rao,
Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District _____

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ANNEXURE 'A'. vide list

The following Officers and Sirdars will be present at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore :—

1 *Diwan Bahadur* Sir A. Ramaswamy Mudaliar, K.C.S.I., Dewan of Mysore.

2 *Rajadharmapravina Diwan Bahadur* Mr. P. Venkataramana Rao, Chief Justice in Mysore.

3 Mr. K. Chengalaraya Reddy, Chief Minister.

4 Sirdar H. Muddaraj Urs, Secretary-in-waiting to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

5 Sirdar D. Devaraj Urs, A.D.C. to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

6 Sirdar D. Madan Gopal Raj Urs.

7 Sirdar K. Narasaraj Urs.

8 Sirdar K. Basavaraj Urs.

9 *Adeeb-ul-Mulk* Mr. M. Sultan Mohiyuddin, Vice-Chancellor, Mysore University.

10 Mr. V. Vedavyasacharya, Chief Secretary to Government.

11 Mr. H. Niranjanraj Urs, Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

12 Mr. C. M. H. Ranajodha Singh, Inspector-General of Police.

13 Lt.-Col. P. Basavaraj Urs, Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops.

ANNEXURE "B"

Her enter - vide list

ANNEXURE "C".

Seating in cars from the Mysore Civil Aerodrome to Lalitha Mahal.

1st Car. PILOT CAR.

2nd Car.

1. His Excellency the Governor-General.
2. His Highness the Maharaja.
3. Military Secretary to His Excellency.

3rd Car. ESCORT CAR.

4th Car.

1. Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma.
2. The Dewan of Mysore.
3. A. D. C. to His Excellency.

5th Car. SPARE CAR.

6th Car.

1. Lady Brabourne
1. ~~Their Excellencies' daughters.~~
2. Lady Pamela Mountbatten
3. A. D. C. to His Excellency.

7th Car.

1. The Private Secretary to His Excellency.
2. The Chief Minister of Mysore.
3. A. D. C. to His Highness the Maharaja.

ANNEXURE "A"

The following Officers will be present at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore:-

1. Diwan Bahadur Sir A. Ramaswami Mudaliar, KCSI., Dewan of Mysore
2. Rajadharmapravina Diwan Bahadur Mr.P.Venkataramana Rao, Chief Justice
3. Mr. K. Chengalaraya Reddy, Chief Minister
4. " H.C.Dasappa, Minister for Fiance and Industries
5. " K.T.Bhashyam, Minister for Law and Labour
6. " H. Siddaiya, Minister for Public Works and Agriculture
7. " T. Mariappa, Home Minister
8. " R. Chennigaramiah, Minister for Local Self-Government
9. " Mahmood Sheriff, Minister for [P.H. and Excise Local Self-Government]
10. " D.H.Chandrasekhariah, Minister for Education
11. Rajasevasakta Mr. P. Subbarama Chetty, Minister for City Municipalities and Muzrai
12. Rajamantrapravina Mr. H. B. Gumastha Gowda, President, Mysore Legislative Council.
13. Adeeb-ul-Mulk Mr. M. Sultan Mohiyuddin, Vice Chancellor, Mysore University
14. Mr. V. Vedavyasacharya, Chief Secretary
15. " C.M.H.Ranajodha Singh, Inspector General of Police
16. " P. Seetharamiah, President, City Municipal Council
17. " N.S.Hirannayya, Municipal Commissioner
18. " G.N.Nagaraja Rao, Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District
19. " H. Niranjanraj Urs, Huzur Secretary to H.H.the Maharaja
20. Lt.-Colonel P. Basavaraj Urs, Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops
21. Colonel M. Gopalakrishne Urs, Military Bakshi

ANNEXURE "B"

The following Sirdars will be present at Lalitha Mahal:-

1. Rajasabhabushana Sirdar H. Muddaraj Urs
   Secretary in Waiting to H.H. the Maharaja
2. Sirdar D. Devaraj Urs, A.D.C. to H.H. the Maharaja
3. Sirdar D. Madan Gopal Raj Urs
4. Sirdar K. Basavaraj Urs
5. Rajasenabushana Lt.-Colonel Sirdar A.V. Subramanyaraj Urs

ANNEXURE ' C '

Seating in cars from the Mysore Civil Aerodrome to Lalitha Mahal.

1st Car — PILOT CAR

2nd Car

1. His Excellency the Governor-General.
2. His Highness the Maharaja
3. Military Secretary to His Excellency.

3rd Car — ESCORT CAR

4th Car

1. Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma
2. The Dewan of Mysore
3. A.D.C. to His Excellency

5th Car — SPARE CAR

6th Car

1. Lady Brabourne
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3. A.D.C. to His Excellency.

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1. The Private Secretary to His Excellency
2. The Chief Minister of Mysore
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D.O. 4955-66/CS

No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 30th January 1948

SECRET.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to state that His Highness the Maharaja will receive Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma on their arrival by a special plane at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore, at 3-15 p.m. on Wednesday, the 4th February 1948, and to enclose herewith a list of Government Officers who will be presented to Their Excellencies. I am to request you to be present at the Aerodrome by 2-15 p.m. on that day.

Palace Dress will be worn. (Black long coat, trousers, turban, valli and black shoes).

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

Yours sincerely,

To,

All Ministers

D.C. Mysore

Asst. A.C.

Mr. Cane Mysore

Annexure "A".

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4. Mr.H.C.Dasappa, Minister for Finance and Industries.

5. Mr.K.T.Bhashyam, Minister for Law and Labour.

6. Mr.H.Siddaiya, Minister for Public Works and Agriculture.

7. Mr.T.Mariappa, Home Minister.

8. Mr.R.Channigaramiah, Minister for Local Self-Government.

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10. Mr.D.M.Chandrasekhariah, Minister for Education.

11. Rajaseva Sakta Mr.P.Rubbarama Chetty, Minister for City Municipalities and Muzrai.

12. Rajamantrapravina Mr.H.C.Gundappa Gowda, President, Mysore Legislative Council.

13. Deco-Bahadur Mr.M. Sultan Mohiyuddin, Vice-Chancellor, Mysore University.

14. Mr.V.Vedavyasacharya, Chief Secretary.

15. M.N.Ranajodha Singh, Inspector-General of Police.

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SECRET.

30th January 1948.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.

Dear Sir,

In modification of my D.O. letter No. 89/90 dated the 25th January 1948, I am desired to state that the dress to be worn by you is Full Dress Uniform and not Palace Dress as previously intimated.

Yours sincerely,

HGT 30/1

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.
" Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops.

D. O. No. C.C.35-14/47-48

BANGALORE

C. M. H. RANAJODHA SINGH, Esq., B.A.,
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore.

January 29,48.

Most Secret & Immediate.

Dear Sir,

Governor-General's Visit - 1948.

I write to invite kind reference to the Programme of His Excellency the Governor-General of India in Mysore State in February 1948 and request you to kindly issue necessary orders closing the roads to be used by His Excellency, to all traffic - civilian and Military. During the time the roads are closed, no vehicles except those in possession of the required passes should be allowed to use these roads.

Yours sincerely,

Sd. C.M.H.Ranajodha Singh.

District Magistrate,
Mysore District/Mandya Dt.

Copy forwarded with compliments to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore, for information.

Inspector-General of Police.

Police arrangements for the journey of His Excellency the Governor-General of India.

4TH FEBRUARY 1948.

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Arrival of His Excellency at the Mandakalli Aerodrome, Mysore.

3-15 P.M.

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SECTION "A"

Drive from the Aerodrome to Lalitha Mahal.

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Sub-Section.	Place
I	At the Aerodrome
II	Road from the Aerodrome to the Mysore City Boundary
III	From the Mysore City Boundary to the Municipal Office Chowk along the Road in front of the Palace Office
IV	From Municipal Office Chowk to Curzon Gate
V	From Curzon Gate to Statue Square
VI	From Statue Square to Hardinge Circle and on to Mirza Chowk
Vii	From Mirza Chowk to Karanji Road Via Park Road
VIII	From Tank Bund Road to Lalitha Mahal Mansion

Drive through the City and on to Chamundi Hill and back.
(Evening)

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I	Lalitha Mahal to Narasimharaja Boulevard
II	From Narsimharaja Boulevard to Mirza Square
III	From Mirza Square to Hardinge Circle
IV	From Hardinge Circle to Statue Square
V	From Statue Square to Curzon Gate
VI	From Curzon Gate to the junction of the Road North of Devaraj Market
VII	From the Road to the North of the Market to the Krishnarajendra Hospital Sq.
VIII	From the K.R.Hospital Circle to Exhibition Buildings Circle
IX	From the Exhibition Buildings Circle to the Railway Station Square
X	From Railway Station Square to the junction of Belagola Road with Volmiki Road, passing in front of Akash Vani
XI	From the junction of Belagola Road with Volmiki Road to Arch Gate of District Office via Volmiki and Yelwal Road
XII	From the Arch Gate of the District Office to the Five Lantern Circle at the junction of Chamaraja and Viceroy Road
XIII	From Five-Lantern Circle to the junction of Bangalore-Nilgiri Road along the Viceroy Road
XIV	From the junction of the Bangalore-Nilgiri Road to Narasimharaja Boulevard Square via Race Course South Road
XV	From Narasimharaja Boulevard Square to the junction of the Road from Lalitha Mahal near Lalithadri
XVI	Lalitha Mahal to Chamundi Hill and back.

Visit of Their Excellencies to the Silk Factory, the Chamarajendra Technical Institute and the Industrial Exhibition and on to Seringapatam and back.

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5th February 1948.

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Morning.

I	Lalitha Mahal to Narasimharaja Boulevard
II	From Narasimharaja Boulevard to Mirza Sq.
III	From Mirza Square to Hardinge Circle including the Circle
IV	From Hardinge Circle to the Junction of the Chamaraja Road with Dodkere Tank Bund
V	From the Junction of the Chamaraja Road to Vani Vilas Market Circle
VI	From Vani Vilas Market Circle to Lakshmipuram Police Station Circle
VII	Lakshmipuram Police Station Circle to Silk Factory
VIII	From Vani Vilas Market to Sanskrit College Circle (while returning from Silk Factory)
IX	From Sanskrit College Circle to Curzon Gate
X	From Curzon Gate to Junction of the Road North of Devaraj Market
XI	From the Road North of Devaraj Market to the Krishnarajendra Hospital Circle (Visit Chamarajendra Technical Institute)
XII	From the Krishnarajendra Hospital Circle to Exhibition Building Square
XIII	From the Exhibition Building Square to the School for Defectives via New Bamboo Bazaar Road
XIV	From the School for Defectives to the Loop Road joining New Banni Mantap Road
XV	From the junction of New Banni Mantap Road to Mysore City Municipal Boundary
XVI	From Mysore City Municipal Boundary to Mysore Taluk Boundary
XVII	From Mysore Taluk Boundary to Seringapattam Boundary
XVIII	Seringapatam Town
XIX	Visit to Dariya Doulat and Gumbaz
XX	Mysore City Municipal Boundary to Forbe's Transformer House (while returning)
XXI	From Forbe's Transformer House to St.Philomen Church Circle - via Asoka Road
XXII	St.Philomena Church Circle to Hardinge Circle
XXIII	From Hardinge Circle to Lalitha Mahal, Via Mirza Square and Narasimharaja Boulevard

Visit of Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to the local Hospitals and Child Welfare Centres.

5th February 48 - 3 P.M.

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Details of routes to be settled.

Visit of Their Excellencies to Krishnarajasagar - 5-30 p.m.

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I to IX	Same as I to IX shown for the Drive through the City on the evening of the 4th
X	From Railway Stn.Sq. to Municipal Boundary in Sanatorium Road
XI	From Municipal Boundary to the Mysore Taluk Boundary on Krishnarajsagar Road
XII	Mysore Taluk Boundary to Old Belgola Road Outpost
XIII	From the Handpost to K.R.Sagara Dam Gate
XIV	From K.R.Sagar Dam Gate to High Pressure Pump House
XV	Pump House to South Bank Side.

Departure of Their Excellencies.

8 A.M.

I	Lalitha Mahal to Narasimharaja Boulevard Square
II	Narasimharaja Boulevard Square to Madhuvana Gate (between Dally Avenue and the Grand Stand)
III	Madhuvana Gate to Mysore City Municipal Boundary
IV	Mysore City Municipal Boundary to Nanjangud Taluk Boundary
V	Nanjangud Taluk Boundary to Hullahalli Road Junction
VI	Hullahalli Road Junction to Sindhuvallipur
VII	From Sindhuvallipur to Begur Village
VIII	From Begur to Gundlupet
IX	From Gundlupet to Hanumantharayanagudi
X	From Hanumantharayana Gudi to Bhandipur and on to border.

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SECRET

Provisional Programme for the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore in February 1948.

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Wednesday, 4th February 1948.

3-15 p.m.	Arrival at the Civil Aerodrome, Mysore.
	His Highness the Maharaja will receive Their Excellencies at the Aerodrome.
	Presentations.
	Inspection of Guard of Honour
	Their Excellencies accompanied by His Highness will motor to Lalitha Mahal.
Evening.	Drive round the town and up the Chamundi Hill.

Thursday, 5th February 1948.

Morning.	Visit the Silk Factory, the Chamarajendra Technical Institute and the Industries Exhibition.
	Proceed to Seringapatam and return for lunch.
Afternoon.	3-0 P.M. Her Excellency will visit the local hospitals and child welfare centres.
	Interviews.
	5-0 P.M. Tea at the Palace.
	5-30 P.M. His Highness will take Their Excellencies to Krishnaraja Sagar.
	Return to Mysore.

Friday, 6th February 1948.

8-00 A.M.	Departure for Coimbatore airfield via Ootacamund (by road)

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Provisional Programme for the visit of their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Lytton to Lycoro in February 1930.

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Thursday, 6th February 1930.

8-15 p.m.	Arrival at the Civil Aerodrome, Lycoro.
	The Viceroy and the Deputy Commissioner will receive Deputations at the Residency.
	Presentations.
	Inspection of Guard of Honour
	Their Excellencies accompanied by the Viceroy will motor to Victoria Canal.
Evening.	Drive round the town and up the Observatory Hill.

Friday, 7th February 1930.

Morning.	Visit the Silk Factory, the Conservatories Technical Institute and the Industries Exhibition.
	Proceed to Serangatan and return for lunch.
Afternoon.	3-0 P.M. The Viceroy will visit the Local Hospitals and Child welfare centres.
	Interviews.
	6-0 P.M. Tea at the Palace.
	8-30 P.M. The Viceroy will take their Excellencies to Victoria Degree.
	Return to Lycoro.

Friday, 8th February 1930.

6-00 A.M.	Departure for Coimbatore airfield via Ootacamund (by road)

GUNAMBA MATERNITY & CHILD WELFARE TRUST, MYSORE.

TELEPHONE : 459
REF. No :
ENCS : 36

Dated 29th January 1948

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge your kind letter advising me that Her Excellancy Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be visiting the Gunamba Trust on 5th February 1948 at about 3.30 P.M. The Members of the Gunamba Trust are very glad that you have so kindly included as one of the items of the Programme, the visit of the Trust by Her Excellancy. Arrangements are being made to show Her Excellancy the Countess Mountbatten the details of work done in the Gunamba Trust.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

V.Vedavyasx Acharya, Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

MR. K. MOHAMED AHMED, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,

MANDYA.

Dated 24th January 1948.

D.O.P.C. 177/47-8.
Confidential

Dear Sir,

In continuation of my yesterday's letter acknowledging the receipt of the programme for their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten in this District on the 5th February 1948, I wish to state that I have issued instructions to the Executive Engineer, Mandya Division, the president Town Municipal Council Seringapatam, the Curator, Gardens Department Mysore, and the Sub Division Officer, Frenchrocks to keep the Fort area and the Historical Monuments, the Gardens attached thereto and the roads neat and tidy and in good condition. I may be kindly intimated if the Municipal Councillors and myself should greet their Excellencies on arrival at Seringapatam and offer flowers.

(A)

With regard to the programme of their Excellencies to Krishnaraja Sagara in the evening, I have informed of the same to the Executive Engineer, Krishnaraja Sagara for his information and needful action. I will also be present with the Executive Engineer, Krishnaraja Sagara.

(B)

Necessary police arrangements will also be made on a reduced scale. Whether the traffic has to be held up during

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P.T.O.

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I shall be much obliged for early instructions in the matter.

Yours Sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.

SECRET.

D. O. 49 F 2/CS

No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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Governor-General's Visit.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. P.C.177/47-8, dated 24th January 1948, I am desired to state that you may await Their Excellencies' arrival at Scott's Bungalow, Seringapatam and accompany the party during the visit to the various places of interest at Seringapatam. It is not necessary for the Municipal Councillors of Seringapatam to greet Their Excellencies on arrival and offer flowers.

I am to add that you may be present at Krishnaraj Sagar as proposed.

As regards the holding up of traffic during the visit of Their Excellencies to Krishnaraj Sagar, I am to suggest that this is a matter that is to be settled by you in consultation with the Inspector-General of Police and other officers, if any, concerned in the matter.

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Yours sincerely,

Sd/- V. Vedavyas Acharya.

K. Mohamed Ahmed, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Mandya District,
Mandya.

Memo No. 49 F 3-5/CS

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for Chief Secretary to Government

Secret.

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Copy to (1) I.G.P. (2) Asst. Private Secy. to H.H. and (3) D.C. Mysore.

30.1.48.

SECRET.

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It is presumed that no formal invitation is required in this behalf to the officers or the Sirdars concerned.

The Inspector-General of Police has been informed that Their Excellencies will enter the Palace on the 5th February 1948 at 5-15 p.m. by the 'Jayamarthanda' Gate and not by the North Gate, and asked to make necessary arrangements accordingly.

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30/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
P.S. to H.H.

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Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, C.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Confidential.

MR. MIR SAFDAR HUSSAIN, B.A.,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.
TUMKUR DISTRICT.

D. O. No. Gd 3072/47-48

Dated, Tumkur, 28-1- *194* 8

Dear Sir,

I am enclosing herein an application received from Mr.B.S.Narain Rao, who calls himself as a Consulting Engineer, praying for an interview with His Excellency the Governor General of India during his visit to Mysore in February. I have made confidential enquiries regarding his credentials and the report of the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur is enclosed in original for kind information. I am of opinion that Mr.B.S.Narain Rao has not impressed me much with his demeanour for an interview.

Yours Sincerely,

Mir Safdar Hussain

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

CHIEF SECRETARY
29 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

SB. 15-2/47-48 8(3).

R. D. ANDERSON, B.Sc..
SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE

Tumkur,
Dated, 27-1-1948

Dear Sir,

With reference to your No.Gl.3072 of 47-48 dated 22-1-48 forwarding the petition of Mr. B.S.Narayana Rao for an interview with His Excellency the Viceroy etc., I enclose herewith the statement of the petitioner regarding his antecedents, qualifications etc. for kind information. The petitioner left Tumkur in 1928 and since then was said to be working in several parts of India. Nothing definite can be ascertained regarding his present conduct and character, as he has recently returned to Tumkur. The petition also is herewith enclosed.

Yours sincerely,

R. D. Anderson

Mir Safdar Hussain, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Tumkur District, TUMKUR.

Statement of Mr. B. S. Narayana Rao S/o Mr. B.K. Lingeswara Rao, Retd Economic Supervisor, No. 1421, Western Extension, Tumkur

—o—

I am a native of Belagumba village, Tumkur Taluk. My father is dead. I am in only Son to my father. I pay land revenue - Rs. 25/- in Belaguba village; Rs. 18/- in Kelakote village of Tumkur Taluk. House No. 1421, Western Extension, Tumkur, belongs to me and it same was built by my father. I studied in the Govt. High School, Tumkur, then in the Bangalore Intermediate College and College of Engineering, Bangalore. I left the College in the year 1932-33, when I was in I year B.E. I worked in mysore paper mills for about 5 years on a pay of Rs. 75/-; as an Asst. Engineer on military Construction work at wardha, madura and Nagpur with Messrs. Ladha Singh & Bedi & Sons as an Engineer with Messrs. Hindustan

Construction company on a salary of Rs. 200/- in Jubbulpore as an Engineer with Messrs. L.S. Bedi & Sons, Bangalore, (3, Cubbon Road) in connection with the planning of Cycle Works in Mysore till 1947. Since that Company shifted their Head-Quarters to Nagapore, I left them and I am practising as Consulting Engineer in Bangalore, my address being, "Hosur House", 27, Bull Temple Road, Basavangudi; Now I have come to Punnur for a change on a holiday and I shall remain here till the end of February 48 and so, I have submitted to the Dept. this application. I am also a member of the All India manufacturers organisation, Industrial Assurance Building, Bombay. I am also a member on the special Committee No. I, for industrial development and finance of the A.I.M.O. I am also a member of the Mysore Engineers Association,

Bangalore. I am the author for "Industrial planning for post-war mysore". I have presented a paper on regional planning for mysore Zone to the Indian Science congress and a copy of the same has been sent to the Hon'ble minister for public works in mysore. I have communicated to the minister for Law in mysore regarding the Bearing of the 'Sharavathi valley' authority scheme to the Bhatkal Harbour question.

I want to present an outline of the necessity of expediting the taking up of the Bhatkal Harbour as it relates to industrialisation of mysore. In this connection, I want to submit this note in person to H.E. the Viceroy, when he goes outside mysore in Feb. 46 & Mr. L. N. Sharma Rao, Retd: Chief Engineer, Residing in H.R. Extension, Tumkur, my maternal uncle :- Mr. C. R. Ramachandra Rao, Retd: Asst. Secretary, Bangalore is my paternal uncle. Mr. L. N. Seshagiri Rao,

Rep. Cashier of mysore Bank, now residing in Western Extension, is also my relative. In addition, I know all most all members of the Bar in Tumkur. Messrs. K. Ranga Iyengar, and T. Subramanyam, and K. Sankaranarayanappa are known to me well. The certificates re: my educational qualifications and other certificates for having worked in different places, as stated above, are all in Bangalore and if necessary, I shall produce them. My age is 32 years. I belong to Madhwa Brahmin community.

Read over and admitted.
Correct.

Before me

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To.

The Chief Secretary to Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore
Bangalore.

Through

The Deputy commissioner
Tumkur district
Tumkur.

3072
47-48.

Sir.

Re. Interview with His Excellency the Governor General of India.

During the second annual meeting of the Mysore Provincial Board of All India Manufacturers organisation held recently at Bangalore I have brought to the notice of the Dewan sahib Sir. A.R. Mudaliar K.C.S.I. regarding my intention of representing the urgency for taking up the Bhatkal harbour to the Govt of India. I have outlined the general outline of my representation in the 11th page of the annual report a copy of which has been handed over to the Hon. K.C. Reddy our present Chief Minister as also to the Development commissioner with the Govt of Mysore. As it is very necessary to have the sanction from the non official quarters with the Govt of India I intend taking the opportunity of the visit of His Excellency the Governor General of India Lord Mountbatten to Mysore, for representing the case of Bhatkal to the Govt of India in person and conveying my regards to His Excellency.

Ref 3072/428
To:
A.I.M.O.
7/1 K.C.J.P.
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Hon Secretary
Dy.
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May I therefore request you sir, to be good enough to kindly see that fix up an interview for me with His Excellency while he camps in Mysore state during the 1st week of February.

I will be staying as an hotel day. during attendance 14 21. western Extension Tumkur city since the end of the 1st week of February. I shall thank you if you can kindly intimate me about the same to my Tumkur address and oblige. The correspondence may kindly be treated as personal. private & confidential.

Awaiting your favourable reply

Yours faithfully
B Shivarama Rao
Consulting Engineer.
22.1.48.

14 21. Western Extension
Tumkur city

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Mr.H. Niranjan Raj Urs,B.A.,
Huzur Secretary.

The Palace.

Mysore, 29th January 1948.

Dear Sir,

Adverting to our conversation over the 'phone this morning regarding the requests of Navjyothi Studios and the Eastern Studios, Mysore to film the visit of Their Excellencies the Governor General of India and the Viscountess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore, I am desired to state that His Highness has no objection to accord permission to the Studios provided Their Excellencies do not object to the same.

I am returning the enclosure of your D.O. letter No.4646/C.B. dated 23rd January 1948 together with an application received by me from the same Studios and also one from the Eastern Studios.

Permission has already been communicated to the Navjyothi Studios to film His Highness's visits to Bangalore, Tumkur, Saklespur and Jog.

CHIEF SECRETARY
30 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Yours sincerely,

H. Niranjan Raj Urs

Subs. Draft telegram put up for approval.
Issued at once —
30/1/48

30.1.48.

V. Vedavyasacharya,Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of H.H.
The Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Issued.

Subs

Telegrams: AYYANAR

Telephone: 549

NAVJYOTHI STUDIOS
MYSORE

G. R. RAMAIAH
Managing Partner

Saraswathipuram
MYSORE

Department of
Educational and Documentary
films.

Ref.No.147/ED/48.

21st January 48.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
23 JAN 1948
GOVT. OF MYSORE

The Chief Secretary,
Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Re; Permission and facelities to film the Royal Visit of H.H.the Maharajah of Mysore to Jag Falls to open the Jog Power Scheme;
The Visit of their Excellencies Lord and Lady Mountbatten to Mysore State.

Dear Sir,

May we take this opportunity of requesting you to please permit us to take the film version of the Royal visit of H.H. to Jog fallas in connection with the opening ceremony of the Jog Power Scheme and all other connected functions at the Jog Falls.

May we be permitted and faceliated to film the arrival of their Excellencies Lord & Lady Mountbatten to Mysore State and cover their entire programme during their stay in our State.

We are sure you will appreciate our earnest desire to serve the Government and co-operate in all their endevours that fall in our provision and We look forward for every sort of co-operation and facelity from you. Looking forward for the pleasure of hearing from you at the earliest convinient date.

Thanking you for the favour and assuring you with the best of our attention at all times,

We remain,

Yours Faithfully,

G. R. Ramaiah

Proprietor.

GRR/rsg:

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NAVAJYOTHI STUDIOS
MYSORE

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Department of
Educational & Documentary
Films.

Ref.No.141/ED/48.

21st January 48.

The Huzur Secretary,
To the H.H.Maharajah of Mysore,
Home Offices, Mysore.

Re; Permission and Facelities to Film the Visit of
Their Exeellencies Lord & Lady Mountbatten
To the Mysore State.

Respectful Sir,

I request you to kindly extend your kind patronage to me by according me with permission to take a detailled version of the visit of H.E.the Governer General of India and Her Excellency Lady Mountbatten to our State and all ceremonial functions arranged in the honour of their Excellencies visit.

I understand, Sir, that operations at Khedda have also been arranged in the honour of their Excellencie's visit and I request your good self to permit me to film this eventful sport also and patronage.

I am given to understand,Sirm that several cameramen from other parts of India are going over here in this connection. I request you to kindly allow me to film the events and approve me to be the sole Movie Maker of these events and with your permission I shall give prints to the other cameramen who come from outside. Being the Poineers of this mighty Industry in theState , we look forward for this amount of Patro-

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MYSORE

G. R. RAMAIAH
Managing Partner

Saraswathipuram
MYSORE

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The Huzur Secretary,
Mysore.

-patronage by your good self. We are here to serve you and our Highness in the best of our ability and we lookforward for this honour to be bestowed on us.

I request your good self to favour me with due consideration and enable be to offer my services.

Thanking you, Sir, and assuring you with my best services at all times,

I have the Honour
to be
Yours Faithfully;
G. R. Ramaiah
Proprietor.

GRR/rsg:

EASTERN STUDIOS,

BANGALORE.

Technical Branch:
3022 Princess Road
Vani Vilas Mohalla, Mysore
22nd January 1948 194....

Ref. No. 212/47-48.

H.Niranjanraj Urs, Esqr., B.A.,
Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharja of Mysore,
Palace Offices, Mysore.

S i r,

It is a great pleasure and matter of rejoicing to learn that our Beloved Soverign His Highness Sir Sri Jayachamarajendra Wadeyar Bahadur, G.C.S.I., has invited His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Mountbatten as state guests on the 4th February 1948 and the festivities connected with their arrival in state mark an unique function in the Capital City worthy of being transplanted into -- celluloid.

The Management of Eastern Studios, a film studio in the capital city of Mysore under the aegis of their most gracious and august Soverign, crave permission to take the movie shots of the arrival in state of Their Excellencies on this memorable occasion, as well as a few important public functions connected therewith, during the short stay of Their Excellencies in the City.

We trust that our humble request will meet with favourable consideration, by command of His Highness, which we shall cherish and treasure with humble gratitude.

A programme officially arranged in connection with the above may very kindly be furnished to us.

Soliciting your esteemed orders

Yours most respectfully,
For EASTERN STUDIOS

G.D. Iyengar

PARTNER.

CONFIDENTIAL.

MR. K. MOHAMED AHMED, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
MANDYA.

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Dated 30th Jan. 1948.

D.O.P.C.177/47-48

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Dear Sir,

In connection with the Visit of His Excellency - the Governor General of India to my District, the Inspector-General of Police, who passed through Mandya on the 28th instant, met me and communicated the instructions of Government. I also proceeded to Mysore yesterday, and met the Huzur Secretary and the Assistant Private - Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore. According to their instructions, I will be present at Seringapatam during His Excellency's visit to the place and in the evening, I will be present with the Chief - Engineer for Irrigation at Krishnarajsagara and offer flowers to both the Governor General and His Highness the - Maharaja of Mysore.

Enroute to Krishnarajasagara, the villages of Belagula wanted to offer flowers to the party and, consulted the Huzur Secretary about this matter and he told me that this may be done, if the villagers presenting flowers are in Durbar dress. Yesterday alone, I went to the village and consulted the leaders and learnt that they had no Durbar dress with them and hence the presentation of flowers as desired by them may be dropped. Hence, this item has been deleted from the programme.

Yours sincerely,

V.Vedavyasacharya,Esq.,B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

EXPRESS TELEGRAM.

TO

MSGOVGEN

GOVERNMENT HOUSE

NEW DELHI

REFERENCE YOUR AIR MAIL D O NO 719 DATED TWENTYSIXTH INSTANT REGARDING HER EXCELLENCYS PROPOSED VISIT TO AROGYAVARAM SANATORIUM AND DISABLED SOLDIERS HOME AT BANGALORE ON TWELFTH AND THIRTEENTH FEBRUARY AS PER PROGRAMME STOP MYSORE GOVERNMENT WILL BE VERY PLEASED TO ARRANGE FOR MOTOR TRANSPORT REQUIRED FOR VISITS AND PROVIDE ACCOMMODATION FOR HER EXCELLENCY AND PARTY AT THE RESIDENCY AT BANGALORE ON NIGHT OF TWELFTH FEBRUARY STOP PLEASE CONFIRM AND INTIMATE WHETHER ANY ARRANGEMENT FOR TEA OR ANY OTHER ARRANGEMENT NECESSARY AT KOLAR

Mysore
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Despatched.
30/1/48

Chief Secretary to Government,
General and Revenue Secretariat,
Public Offices, Bangalore,
Dated 30th January 1948.

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Chief Secretary to Government,
General and Revenue Secretariat,
Public Offices, Bangalore,
Dated 30th January 1948.

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EXPRESS TELEGRAM.

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Chief Secretary Mysore Government

UT 30/1/48
Chief Secretary to Government.

30.1.48

BY AIR MAIL
EXPRESS DELIVERY

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
THE VICEROY'S HOUSE,
NEW DELHI.

26th January, 1948

Dear Sir Ramaswamy Mudaliar

On the conclusion of Their Excellencies' Tour to MYSORE, TRIVANDRUM and COCHIN from the 4th to the 12th of February, they will be leaving COCHIN on the morning of the 12th. Her Excellency particularly wishes to pay a visit to the T.B.SANATORIUM at AROGYAVARAM near MADANAPALLE, and the DISABLED SOLDIERS' HOME at BANGALORE.

The arrangement proposed is for Their Excellencies to land at KOLAR where the York aircraft from Delhi will meet them. His Excellency would then continue his journey to DELHI immediately in the York, and Her Excellency would carry out her visits to AROGYAVARAM & BANGALORE in accordance with the attached draft programme (the timings being somewhat approximate) in the Dakota and by car.

Her Excellency would be very grateful for whatever arrangements are necessary for her to carry out these visits. Lady Mountbatten is in communication with the Medical authorities with regard to her visit to the Sanatorium, and the Red Cross in regard to visit to the Disabled Soldiers' Home. She would be very grateful for your assistance in arranging necessary motor transport required for these visits. Perhaps also you would be kind enough to arrange for accommodation for Her Excellency and party in BANGALORE on the evening of the 13th of Feb. The party will probably consist of -

Her Excellency
Lady Secretary
A.D.C.
A few servants.

Yours sincerely
D.H.Currie

(D.H.Currie)Colonel

Sir A.Ramaswami Mudaliar,KCSI,
Dewan of Mysore, BANGALORE.

D.O.No.719

DRAFT PROGRAMME

12th February

9.15	AM	Leave Cochin
11	AM	Arrive Kolar
		Motor to Sanatorium(about 50 miles)
		Lunch
2.5	PM	See Sanatorium
		Motor to Kolar
6.30	PM	Arrive Kolar
		Fly to Bangalore
7	PM	Arrive Bangalore
		Stay Bangalore.

13th February

9 AM) to 10 AM)		See Soldiers' Home
10.30	AM	Leave Bangalore
6	PM	Arrive Palam.

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Submitted

Draft telegram and four other drafts put up for approval.

30-1-48.

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(1) The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore.

(2) The Deputy Commissioner & District Magistrate, Kolar

(3) The Deputy Commissioner & District Magistrate, Bangalore

(4) The Collector, Civil Station, Bangalore.

Sir,

I am directed to forward, for information and necessary action in due course, a copy of D.O. letter No.719, dated 26th January 1948 from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General regarding the forthcoming visit of Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to the T.B. Sanatorium at Arogyavaram near Madanpalle and the Disabled Soldiers' Home at Bangalore on the 12th and 13th February 1948.

I am to add that Her Excellency and party will be put up at the Residency during their stay in Bangalore.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

I have etc.

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Chief Secretary to Government.

30.1.48.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No. *Dated. Bangalore* 30th Jenuary *194* 8.

FROM

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

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The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

ajc

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

5-15-57/CB

The Chief Commandant,
Mysore State Troops,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I am directed to state that Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma will be staying at the Residency on the 12th and 13th February 1948 and to request you to make arrangements for strengthening Military Guard at the Residency during Her Excellency's stay.

The receipt of this letter may be kindly acknowledged.

I have etc.

30/1/48

Chief Secretary to Govt.

30-1-48.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. S-158/48

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated, Bangalore 30th January *1948.*

FROM

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Chief Commandant,
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Bangalore.

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CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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~~In this connection,~~ I am to request that two good Government House cars may be kindly made available for being placed at the disposal of Her Excellency and party.

(Yours sincerely,)

WD
30/1/48

Amatyasiromani
Sir T. Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
P.S. to H.H. the Maharaja.

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Copy, with copies of correspondence referred to above, forwarded to the Registrar, G.R.S. for information and necessary action.

WD 30/1/48
Chief Secretary to Government.

30.1.48.

Dated the 30th January 1948.

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Sd/- V.Vedavyasacharya,

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

Ameryasiromani
Sir T.Thumboo Chetty, O.B.E.,
Private Secretary to His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Mysore.

Memo No. Dated,

Copy of the above, with copies of correspondence referred to above, is forwarded to the Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat, Bangalore, for information and necessary action.

o/c

Chief Secretary to Government.

EXPRESS. TELEGRAM.

To

MSGOVGEN
GOVERNMENT HOUSE
NEW DELHI

The Eastern Studios and the Navjyothi Studios Two Picture Producing Studios request permission to film events connected with Their Excellencies forthcoming visit to Mysore Stop Kindly wire Their Excellencies pleasure in matter Stop His Highness has no objection provided Their Excellencies approve of same.

Chief Secretary
Mysore Government.

Chief Secretary to Government,
Public Offices, Bangalore.
30th January 1948.

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EXPRESS TELEGRAM.

To

MSGOVGEN
Government House
NEW DELHI

THE EASTERN STUDIOS AND THE NAVJYOTHI STUDIOS TWO ~~FILM~~ Picture PRODUCING STUDIOS REQUEST PERMISSION TO FILM EVENTS CONNECTED WITH THEIR EXCELLENCIES FORTHCOMING VISIT TO MYSORE STOP KINDLY WIRE THEIR EXCELLENCIES PLEASURE IN MATTER STOP HIS HIGHNESS HAS NO OBJECTION PROVIDED THEIR EXCELLENCIES APPROVE OF SAME

CHIEF SECRETARY MYSORE GOVERNMENT

Telegram issued

30/1/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

30.1.48.

No. PH. 321/46-47 3150

Park House,
Mysore, 31st January 1948.

C.B. 1-2-48

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

With reference to your letter D.O.No. 4988/C.B. E2 dated the 30th January 1948, I am desired to say that two good Government House cars will be sent to Bangalore in connection with the visit of Her Excellency the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to the T.B. Sanatorium at Arogyavaram near Madanpalle and to the Disabled Soldiers' Home at Bangalore on the 12th and 13th February 1948.

The cars will be in Bangalore on the evening of the 11th February 1948.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H.the Maharaja of Mysore.

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P.H. 321/46-47

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Park House,

Mysore, 1st February 1948

My dear Mr. Vedavyasacharya,

Governor-General's visit

I have your letter No.4987 of January 30th on the above subject.

I shall be glad if you would kindly send me two dozen copies of the Official Programme of the visit. If it has not been printed yet, I should like one or two typed copies immediately as the drivers have to be instructed in advance regarding the routes they should follow.

The Huzur Secretary has written to the Sirdars and the Military Bakshi in regard to the presentations. No formal invitations are necessary.

Yours sincerely,

V. Vedavyasacharya Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

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visit to bangalore and ajodhyaram
will not take place on dates
suggested but his excellency
(illegible) hopes to carry his visit
at later date regarding

N. B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed, should be written after, but separated from, the text.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Secret Confidential.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No .....

Dated Bangalore,.....194

G.O.No.R.S.103-37-2.

2nd February

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

The proposal of Government to appoint the Director-General of Police and the consequent transfer of Lands to Figure from the G.O. to the Cub Reserve [illegible] to be considered for the present owing to the decision of Mysore Govt.

The visit of Sir [illegible] to Madras and Travancore should take place at the [illegible] February 1937 as previously said. As to expenses of this visit will be carried out as a matter of routine will be audited.

By Order,

[illegible] to Government.

The Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Home Secretary to the Government of Mysore.
The Director-General of Police & Prosecutor.
The Chief Engineer, Public Works Department.
The Chief Engineer for Electricity.
The Chief Medical Officer, Bangalore Civil Station.
The Director of Industries & Commerce, Bangalore.
The Chief Inspector of Factories.
The Chief Inspector of Boilers, Bangalore.
The Director of Education, Bangalore.
The Chief Engineer, Kolar Gold Fields, etc.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Secret & Immediate.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No .....

Dated Bangalore,.....194

S113-43/G.O.120-37-2. 2nd February 0

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

The proposed visit of their Excellencies the Viceroy Central of India and Her Highness Maharani of Mysore from the 4th to the 6th February 1938 is cancelled for the present owing to the demise of Sardar Sardul.

The visit of Her Excellency to Bangalore and accompanying Civil and Military Ball on the 10th and 11th February 1938 is postponed sine die. It is expected that the visit will be carried out at a later date which will be notified.

By order.

Chief Secretary to Government.

The Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Aide-de-Camp to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Private Secretary to Her Highness the Maharani.
The Chief Engineer, Mysore State Railway.
The Chief Engineer, Mysore State Railway.
The Chief Engineer, Mysore State Railway.
The Chief Medical Officer, Mysore Administration Hospital.
The Director of Industries & Commerce, Mysore.
The Director of Medical Services, Mysore.
The Superintendent of Police, Bangalore, Mysore, Kolar and Shimoga.
The Collector, Bangalore, Kolar, Tumkur, Mysore, Hassan, Shimoga, Chitaldrug, Kadur and Mandya.
The Commissioner, Coorg.
The Superintendent of Police, Coorg.
The Superintendent, Government Farms.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Secret and Reception.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No 0110-66/G.R./155-47-8. *Dated Bangalore,* 3rd February 1948

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

The proposed visit of their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the customs formalities of entry to Mysore from the 6th to the 8th February 1948 as received from the present camp to the limits of Kabbe & Chembi.

The visit of the Excellency to Bangalore and programme will not be as that given on the 10th and 11th February 1948 as previously noticed. It is expected that this visit will be carried out at a later date which will be notified.

By order,

Asst Secretary to Government.

To

The Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Chief Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Personal Assistant to the Dewan of Mysore.
The Chief Engineer, Public Works Dept.
The Chief Architect for Palaces and Buildings.
The Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
All Chief Police Officers, Wireless Exchanges to Mysore.
The Director of Industries and Commerce in Mysore.
The Chief Secretary Engineer to Mysore.
The Private Secretaries of Mysore, Bangalore, Chief Secretary and Home Secretary.
The Collector, Civil Station, Bangalore.
The Resident, Fort House for Himself, Mysore.
The Executive Officer, Mysore Civil Station.
The Superintendent, Government Gardens.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Houses and residents.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No Cls-43/G.O./100-07-D. *Dated Bangalore,* 2nd February 194 0

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

The proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Lamington at Ooty to Queen from the 4th to the 6th February 1940 is cancelled for the present owing to the illness of Lamington Council.

The visit of Sir Maurice Gwyer to Mysore and his proposed visit to Ooty from the 5th to the 8th February 1940 as previously arranged. It is expected that this visit will be carried out at a later date which will be notified.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja.
The Private Secretary to His Highness the Yuvaraja.
The Accountant-General of Mysore in Ooty.
The Chief Engineer, Mysore, Ooty & Mysore.
The Chief Commissioner for Coorg.
The Secretary, Executive Committee, Coorg.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.
The Secretary to Government, Education Department.
The Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department.
The Secretary to Government, Forest Department.
The Secretary to Government, Industries & Commerce Department.
The Secretary to Government, Medical & Public Health Department.
The Secretary to Government, Development Department.
The Secretary to Government, Local Self-Government Department.
The Secretary to Government, Law Department.
The Secretary to Government, Miscellaneous Department.
The Secretary to Government, Political & Services Department.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Secretary to Government, Public Instruction Department.
The Secretary to Government, Municipal Department.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Secret and Personal.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No S112-43/G.R./105-47-0. *Dated Bangalore,* 2nd February 194 0.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM

The proposed visit of their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and Lady Linlithgow to Mysore from the 6th to the 8th February 1940 is cancelled for the present owing to the decease of Sardar Patel.

The visit of Sir Maurice and Lady Hallett will not take place on the 7th and 8th February 1940 as previously intimated. It is expected that this visit will be effected out of a later date which will be notified.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Private Secretary to His Exalted Highness.
The Private Secretary to His Highness Yuvaraja.
The Secretary-Financial to Maharaja Highness.
The Aide-de-Camp, Palace Police.
The Military Secretary, Bangalore and Cubbon.
The Chief Engineer for Buildings.
The Chief Police Officer, Commissioner in Mysore.
The Director of Electric Undertakings, Jog.
The Chief Secretary, Executive Council, Bangalore.
The Secretary, Legislative Council, Bangalore.
The Secretary, Representative Assembly, Bangalore.
The Secretary, Legislative Council, Bangalore.
The Secretary, Executive Council, Bangalore.

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SECRET & IMMEDIATE.

Official Memorandum.

The proposed visit of Their Excellencies the Governor-General of India and the Countess Mountbatten of Burma to Mysore from the 4th to the 6th February 1948 is cancelled for the present owing to the demise of Mahatma Gandhi.

The visit of Her Excellency to Bangalore and Arogyavaram will not also take place on the 12th and 13th February 1948 as previously intimated. It is expected that this visit will be carried out at a later date which will be notified.

By Order,

3/2/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Private Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja
The Huzur Secretary to H.H. the Maharaja
The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore
The Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops
The Chief Engineer for Roads and Buildings
The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
The Chief Medical Officer, Women's Hospitals Mysore, Bangalore
The Director of Industries & Commerce in Mysore
The Chief Electrical Engineer in Mysore
The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District
" " Mandya District
" " Bangalore District
" " Kolar District
The Collector, Civil Station, Bangalore
The President, City Municipal Council, Mysore
The Comr. Mysore City Mpl.
The Executive Engineer, Mysore Division
The Superintendent, Government Gardens

Copy to O.B.

3.2.48.

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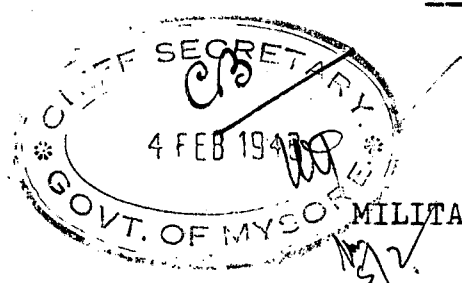
CHIEF SECRETARY TO MYSORE GOVERNMENT
BANGALORE

113-T THANK YOU FOR YOUR WIRE THIRTEENTH JANUARY AND FOR ARRANGEMENTS MADE STO
GOVERNOR GENERAL HAS TODAY WIRED TO HIS HIGHNESS CANCELLING PROPOSED VISIT
TO MYSORE OWING TO MAHATMA GANDHIS TRAGIC DEATH STOP IN CIRCUMSTANCES
VISIT TO BANGALORE AND AROGYAVARAM WILL NOT TAKE PLACE ON DATES SUGGESTED
BUT HER EXCELLENCY HOPES TO CARRY THEM OUT AT A LATER DATE REGARDING WHICH
I WILL COMMUNICATE WITH YOU LATER STOP HER EXCELLENCY MOST GRATEFUL FOR
YOUR ASSISTANCE STOP MSGOVGEN

BY AIR MAIL
EXPRESS DELIVERY

Govt:House, New Delhi
1.2.1948

Copy by post in confirmation to -
The Chief Secretary to the Mysore Government
BANGALORE



D.H.Currie

(D.H.Currie)Colonel
MILITARY SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

No.PH.321/46-47

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

Park House,
Mysore, 20th February 1948.

OFFICE OF THE
CHIEF MINISTER
No. P 1867
Date 23/2/48

Dear Sir,

Governor-General's visit to Mysore.

I am desired to send herewith for your kind information copy of letter dated the 9th February 1948 from His Excellency the Governor-General of India addressed to His Highness the Maharaja together with a copy of His Highness's reply thereto.

Yours sincerely

20.2.48

Chief Sec) The receipt may be acknowledged.
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The Hon'ble
Mr.K.Chengalaraya Reddy, B.A., B.L.,
Chief Minister in-charge of the current
duties of the Dewan of Mysore.

Subs. Draft and fair of acknowledgment put up for appl.

Chief Secy) 26/2

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
New Delhi.

9th February 1948.

My dear Maharaja Saheb,

I gather from a conversation which Sir Ramaswamy Mudaliar had with my Military Secretary that it would be more convenient to Your Highness if we visited Mysore later in the year, which we should very much like to do, and I am grateful to Your Highness for the suggestion.

I am now in course of working out my future programme, and it seems likely that I shall be able to suggest some dates in April or May, which I hope may be convenient to Your Highness.

With kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely,

Sd. Mountbatten of Burma.

His Highness Maharaja
Sir Sri Jaya Chamaraja Wadiyar Bahadur, GCB, GCSI,
Maharaja of Mysore,
Mysore.

The Palace,
Mysore.

20th February 1948.

My dear Lord Mountbatten,

I thank Your Excellency for your kind letter of 9th February 1948 informing me of your visit to Mysore later in the year.

April or May is quite convenient to me and the exact dates may be kindly suggested in due course.

I look forward to the pleasure of welcoming Your Excellencies to my State.

With kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely,

Sd. Jaya Chamaraja Wadiyar.

His Excellency Rear Admiral
The Viscount Mountbatten of Burma, KG.,PC.,GMSI.,GMIE.,GCVO.,KCB,DS
Governor-General of India,
Government House,
New Delhi.

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25th Feb. 8

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT TO MYSORE.

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.PH.321/46-47, dated 20th February 1948, addressed to the Chief Minister, on the above subject.

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G.N. Nagaraja Rao, Esq., M.Sc.,
Offg. Private Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja
of Mysore.

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Telegram

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NEW DELHI 5-2-48

PRIVATE SECRETARY TO HIS HIGHNESS

THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE MYSORE

134/T REFCE HIS EXCELLENCIES TELEGRAM TO HIS HIGHNESS NO.107/T OF FIRST FEBY AAA AS THEIR EXCELLENCIES PROPOSE TO CARRY OUT THE VISIT TO MYSORE LATER PLEASE RETAIN PASSES ALREADY SENT TO YOU FOR USE

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 2/2/48

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File No.

Serial No.

Secret.

No. 6331/CM.

To

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Governor-General's visit.

I am directed to forward herewith, for information, copies of a letter dy 6.2.48 from the Asst. Private Secretary to H.H. and its enclosures regarding the retention of Inner Cordon Passes.

I have etc.

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9/2/48 Chief Secretary to Govt.

9.2.48.

28th February 8

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Subject: Governor-General's Visit.

I am directed to forward herewith, for information, copies of a letter dated 6-2-48 from the Assistant Private Secretary to H.s Highness and its enclosures regarding the retention of - Inner Cordon Passes.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

28/2/48

Chief Secretary to Government.

D.O. Letter dated 6-2-48 from the Assistant Private Secretary to His Highness.

H.E.The Governor-General's Visit
Inner Cordon Passes.

I enclose herewith for favour of information copy of a *telegram received here today from the Military Secretary to the Governor-General on the above subject, as well as a copy of the reply sent by me on behalf of the Private Secretary.

EXPRESS TELEGRAM.

NEW DELHI
5/2/1948

Private Secretary to His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore,
Mysore.

134/T. REFCE HIS EXCELLENCYS TELEGRAM TO HIS HIGHNESS NO.107/T OF FIRST FEBY AAA AS THEIR EXCELLENCIES PROPOSE TO CARRY OUT THE VISIT TO MYSORE LATER PLEASE RETAIN PASSES ALREADY SENT TO YOU FOR USE

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NEW DELHI

REFERENCE YOUR TELEGRAM NUMBER 134 T OF FIFTH FEBRUARY STOP

PASSES ARE BEING RETAINED AS SUGGESTED.

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

"Copies"

Chief Secretary to Government.